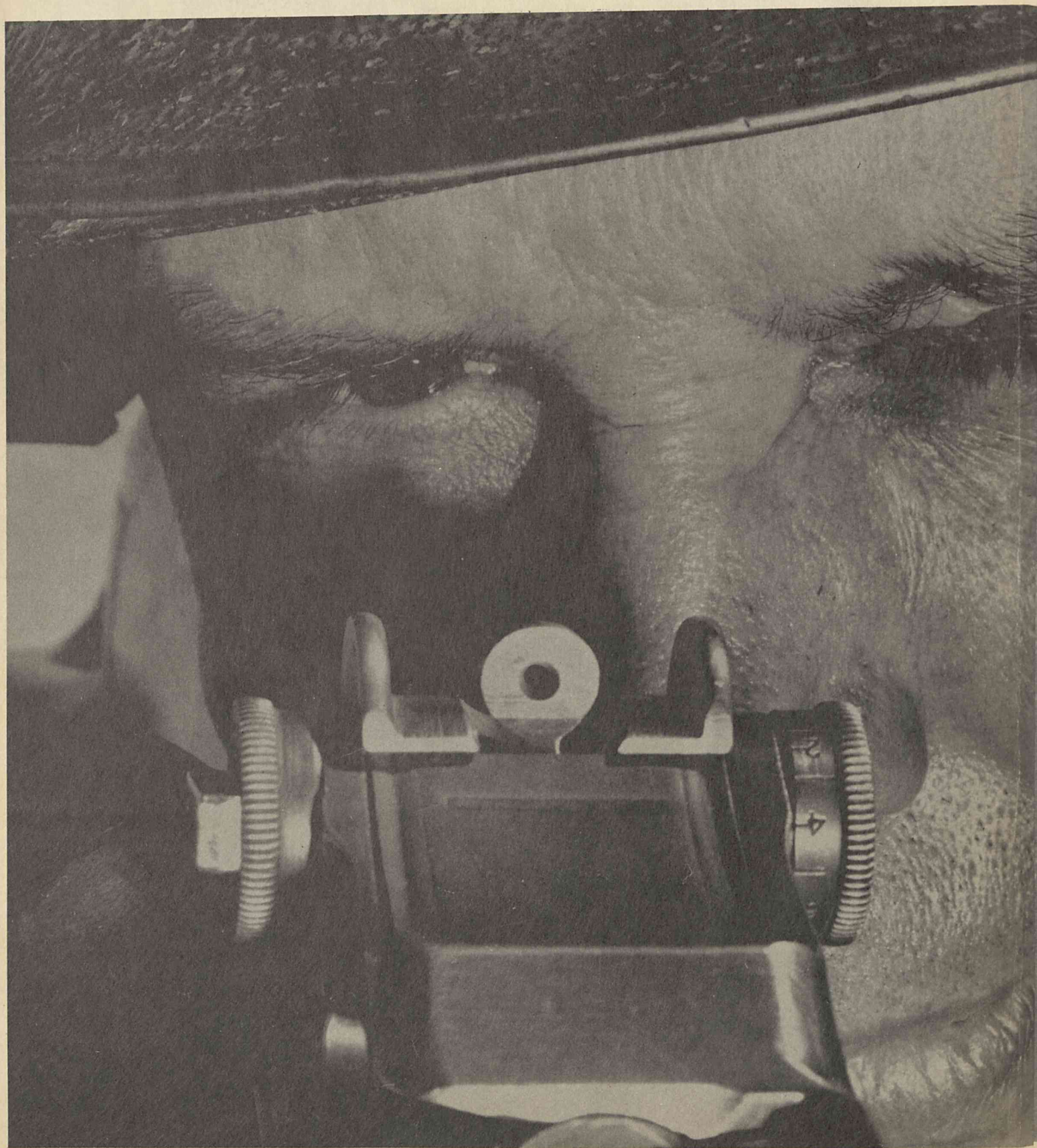


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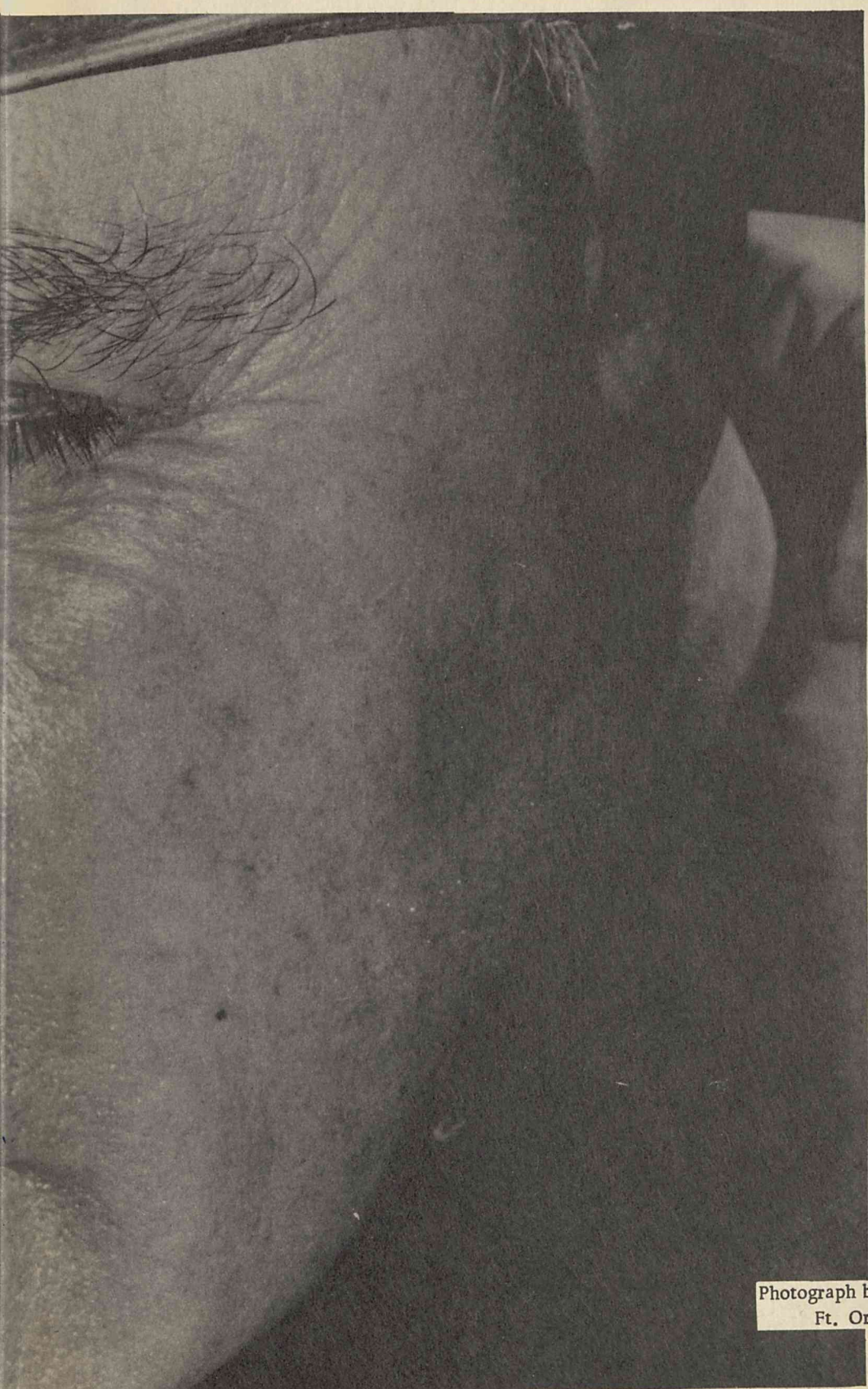


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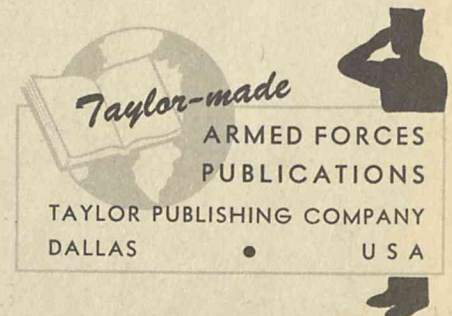


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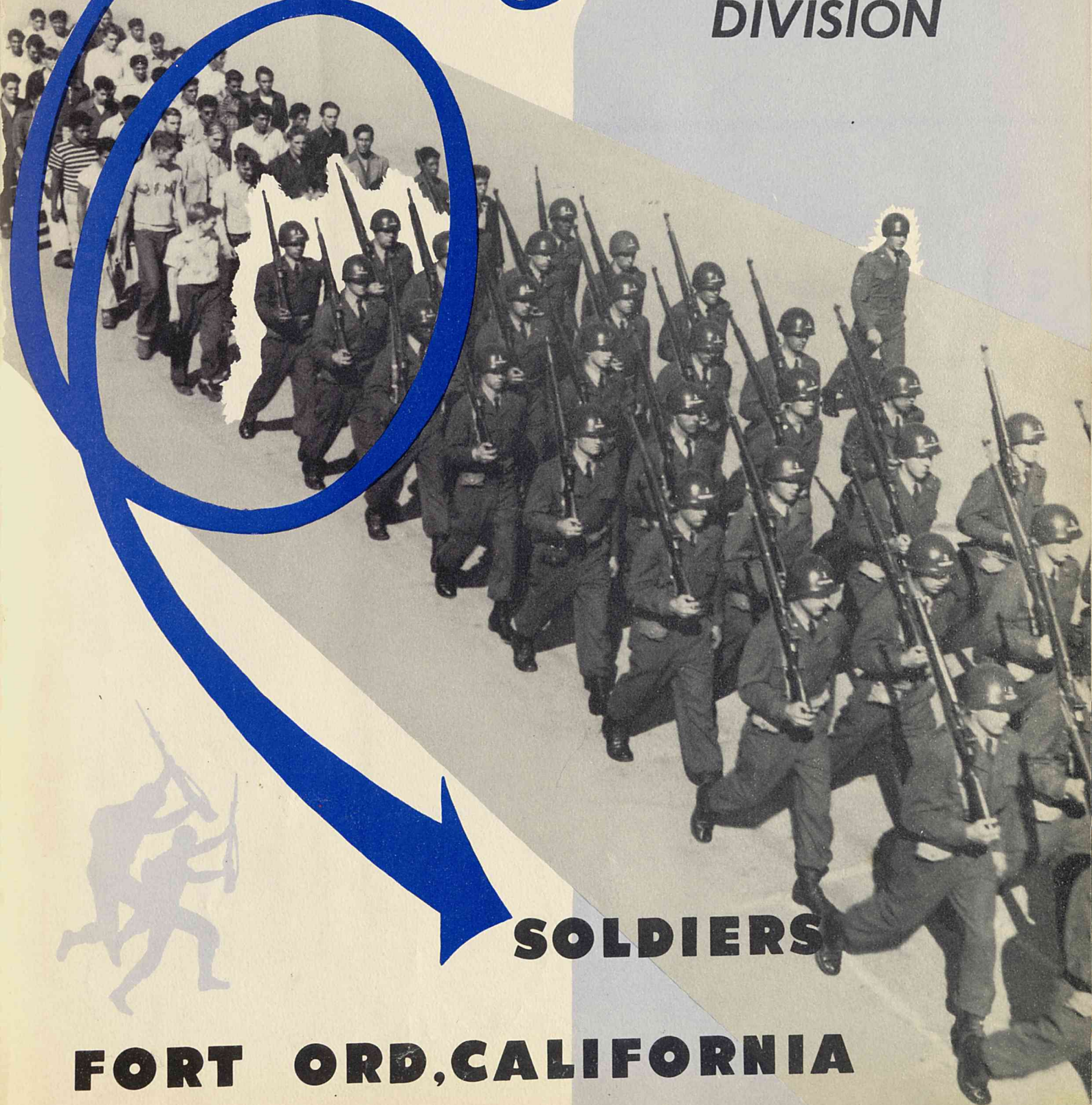
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6TH INFANTRY DIVISION

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R. B. McClure
Major General

A Message from the Commanding General



This book records a new and important period in your life -- the time and effort given at Fort Ord in becoming a soldier in the United States Army.

You have learned to adjust your activities so that you are an efficient, effective, and independent member of the Army team. You have set aside certain individual liberties and privileges, but you have assumed added responsibilities as a disciplined and trained fighting man ready and willing to defend your homeland.

You have become a better man mentally, morally, and physically. You have found new friends that will stand by you throughout life, and you have acquired added prestige and honor as a loyal and patriotic American citizen.

You arrived at Fort Ord as a civilian; you depart as a soldier and an Infantryman. Walk proudly for you are now responsible for the reputation, tradition, and history of the finest Army in the world and that Army's mightiest branch -- the Infantry.

I hope we will serve together again as soldiers, as Infantrymen, and as defenders of our great Nation. Wherever you go may you walk with God.

R. B. McClure

R. B. McCLURE
Major General, USA
Commanding

History Of **FORT ORD**



Military establishments are traditional to the residents of the colorful Monterey Peninsula. The picturesque Presidio of Monterey, first a Spanish and Mexican military establishment, has its history interwoven with that of the nation and of California.

In 1917 the Gigling Reservation, comprising 15,809 acres of sage brush and dwarf oak trees, was purchased as an artillery impact area for training soldiers stationed at the Presidio of Monterey.

Named in honor of Major General Edward Cresap Ord, who as a young second lieutenant was prominent in the early history of the region, Fort Ord was originally activated in 1940 under command of the late and renowned General Joseph W. Stilwell, known and beloved to thousands as "Vinegar Joe."

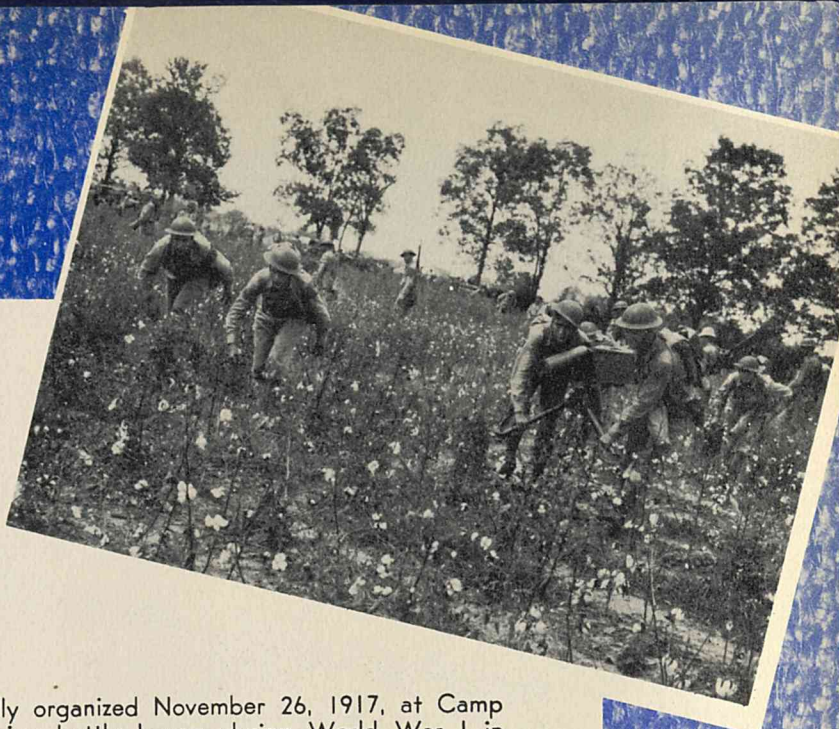
Countless thousands of America's young men received training at Fort Ord during the years of World War II. Upon cessation of hostilities the Fort was maintained as a military replacement center, but no large scale operations were undertaken on its 28,000 acres until July 1947 when the famous Fourth Infantry Division was reactivated. In October 1950, the Fourth Division left Fort Ord for Fort Benning, Georgia. It was replaced by the Sixth Infantry Division, comprised of some of the oldest units in the history of the nation, the 1st, 20th and 63rd Infantry Regiments.

Fort Ord is one of the 10 military establishments in the United States where Infantry basic training is conducted.

History Of



6th INFANTRY DIVISION



The Sixth Division was originally organized November 26, 1917, at Camp McClellan, Alabama. After winning battle honors during World War I in Alsace, Meuse and the Argonne, it was inactivated at Camp Grant, Illinois, September 30, 1921.

In October 1939 the Sixth was reactivated at Fort Lewis, Washington. It was redesignated the Sixth Motorized Division April 9, 1942, and was later renamed the Sixth Infantry Division May 21, 1943.

After World War II service in New Guinea and Luzon, the unit was inactivated in Korea January 10, 1949. At the outbreak of the present emergency, the Sixth Infantry Division was returned to active service in October, 1950, at Fort Ord, California.

The First Infantry Regiment, one of the nation's oldest fighting units, was first constituted March 3, 1791. Its men have participated in every war in which our country has been engaged since that time. The regiment was assigned to the Sixth Infantry Division in October 1939.

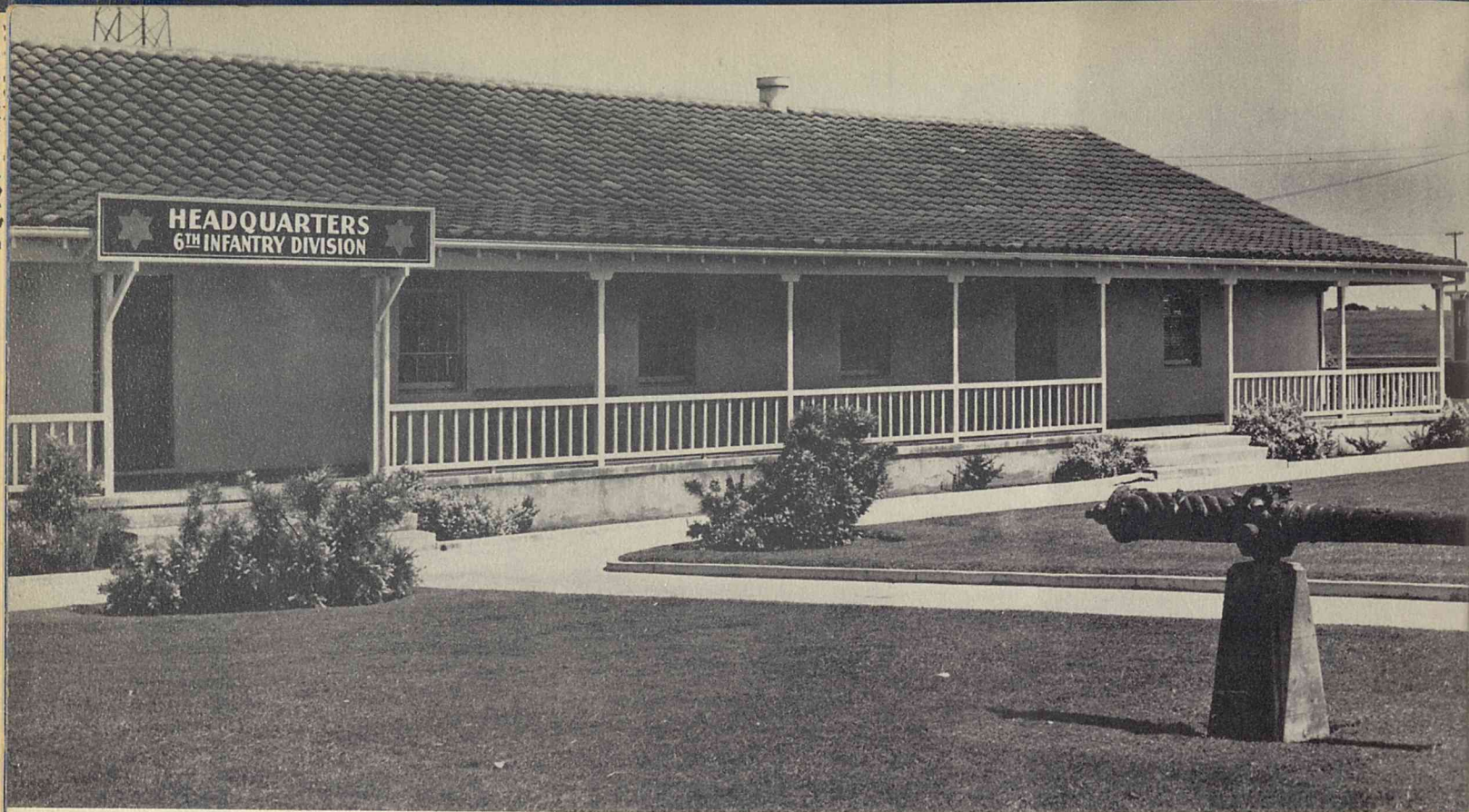
The 20th Infantry Regiment was originally organized as the Second Battalion, 115th Infantry Regiment, for Civil War service May 4, 1861. It was expanded to the 20th Infantry Regiment in 1918. The 20th was assigned to the Sixth Division in October 1939.

The 63rd Infantry Regiment was organized in May 1917. It was demobilized in July 1922, and activated for World War II service in May 1941, at which time it was made a part of the Sixth Division.

The three Infantry regiments were deactivated in Korea in January 1949, along with the Sixth Division. Similarly the three units were reactivated at Fort Ord, October 1950.

The division artillery of the Sixth Infantry Division joined the unit at Fort Des Moines, Iowa, in October 1940. At present the division artillery supervises the Specialist Schools and the Leaders Course which are part of the division training program.





Division Headquarters

Barracks Area





Soldiers Club

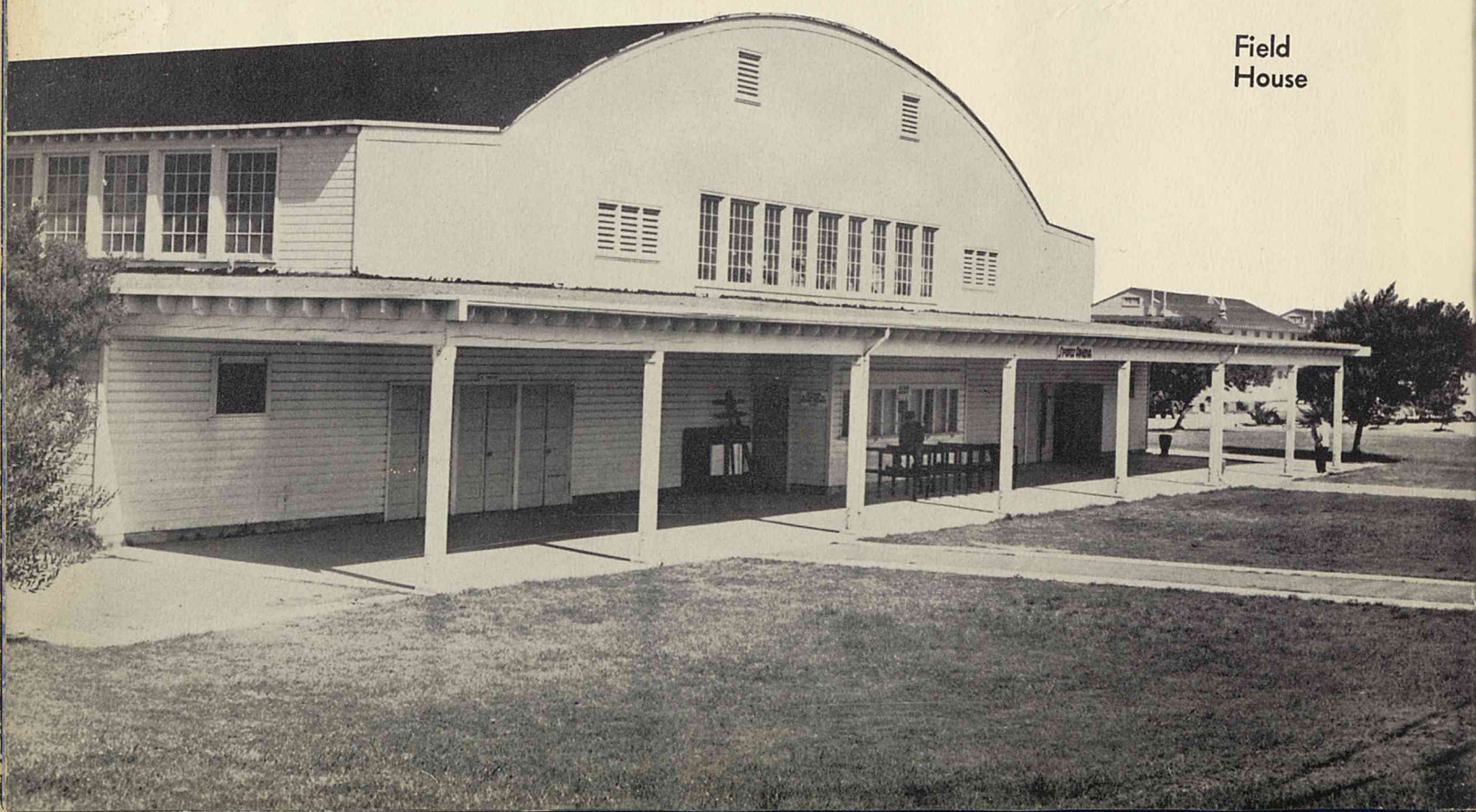
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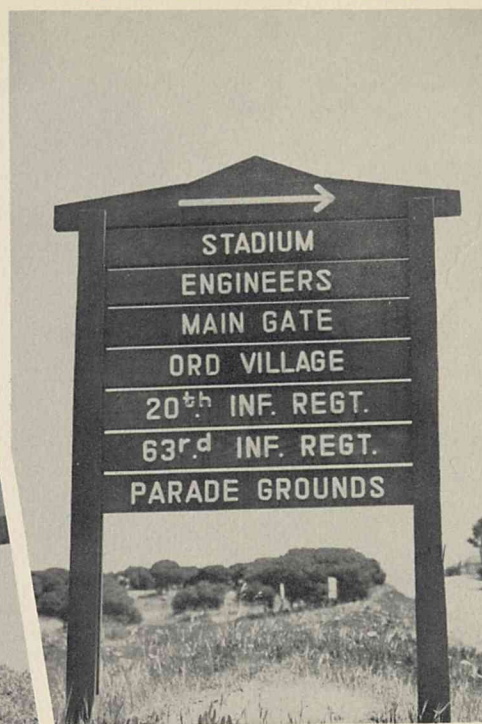
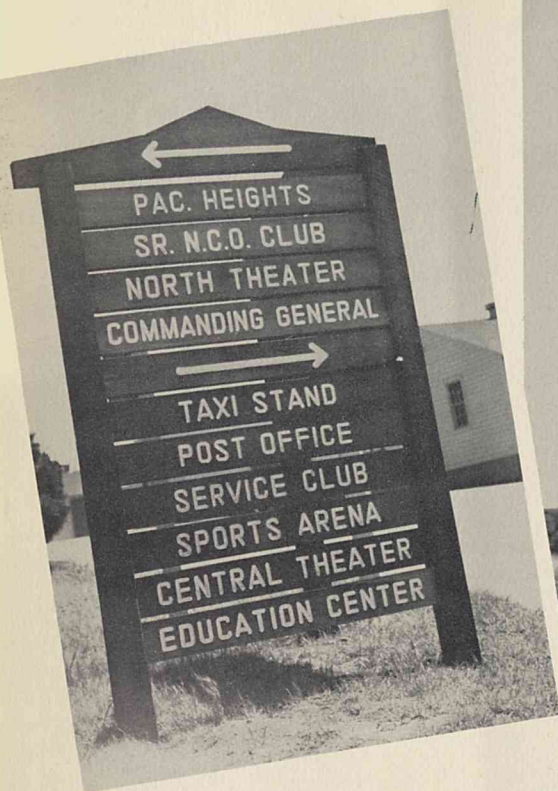


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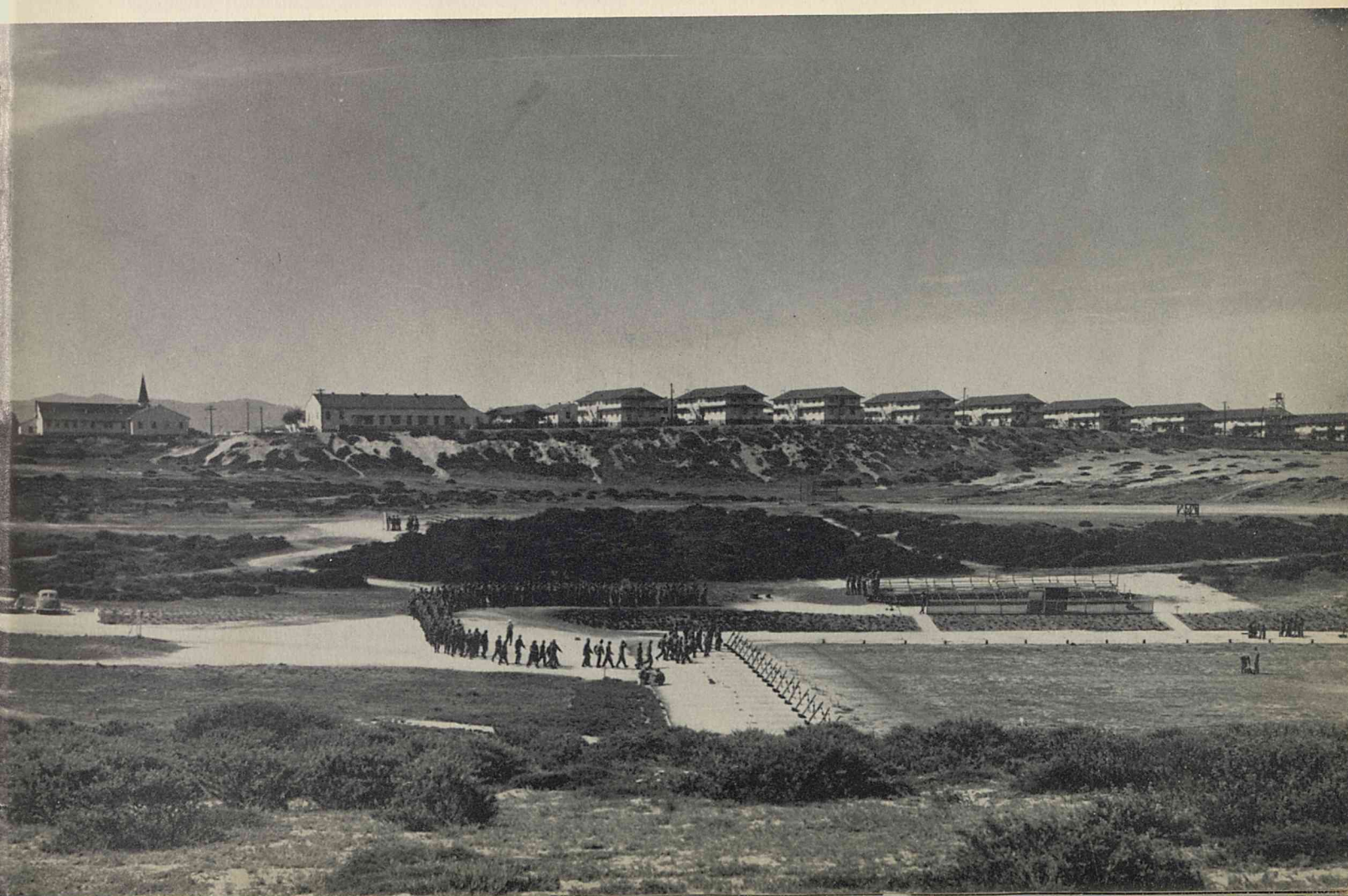
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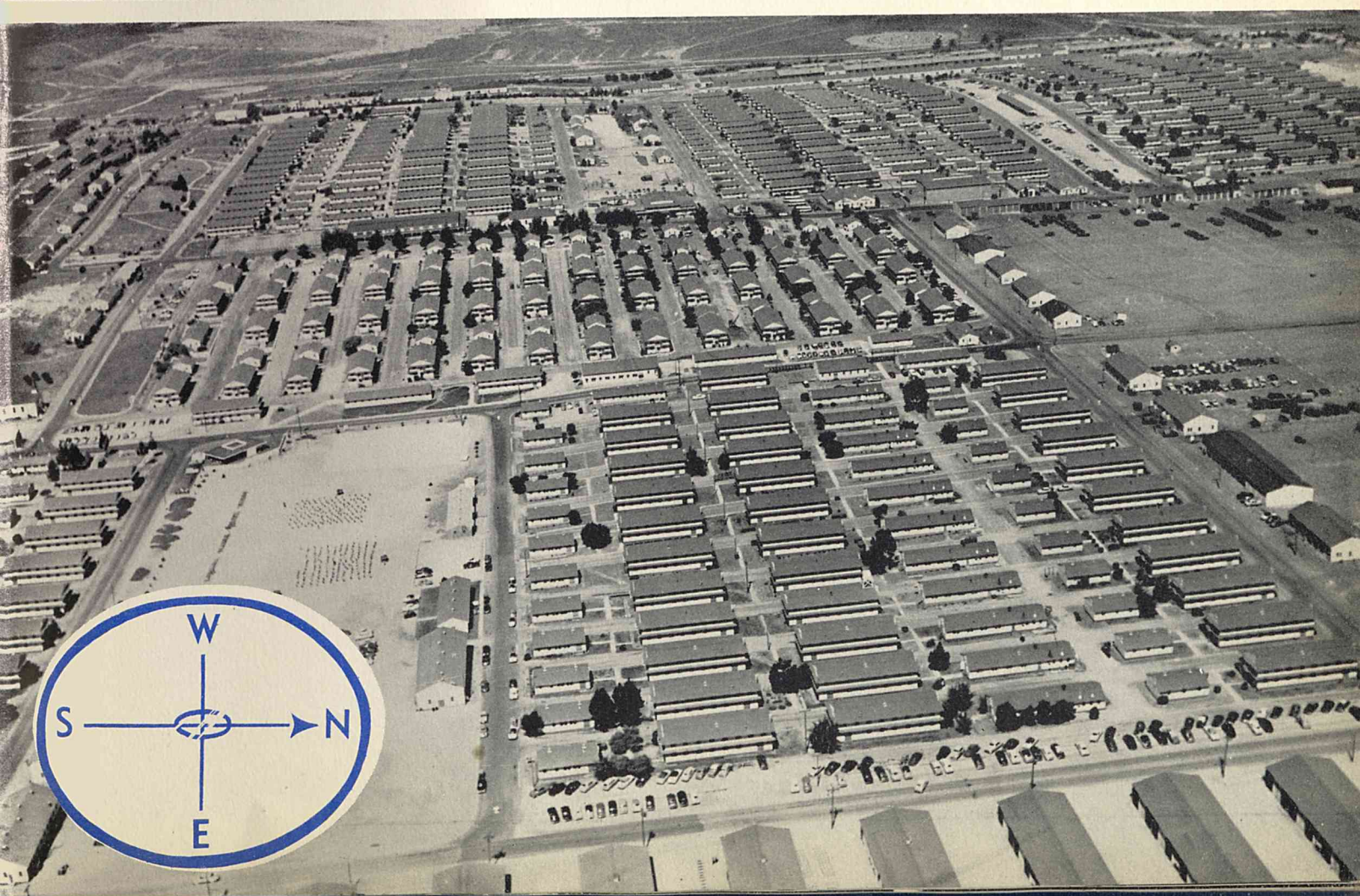


Familiar Signs

Mortar Square







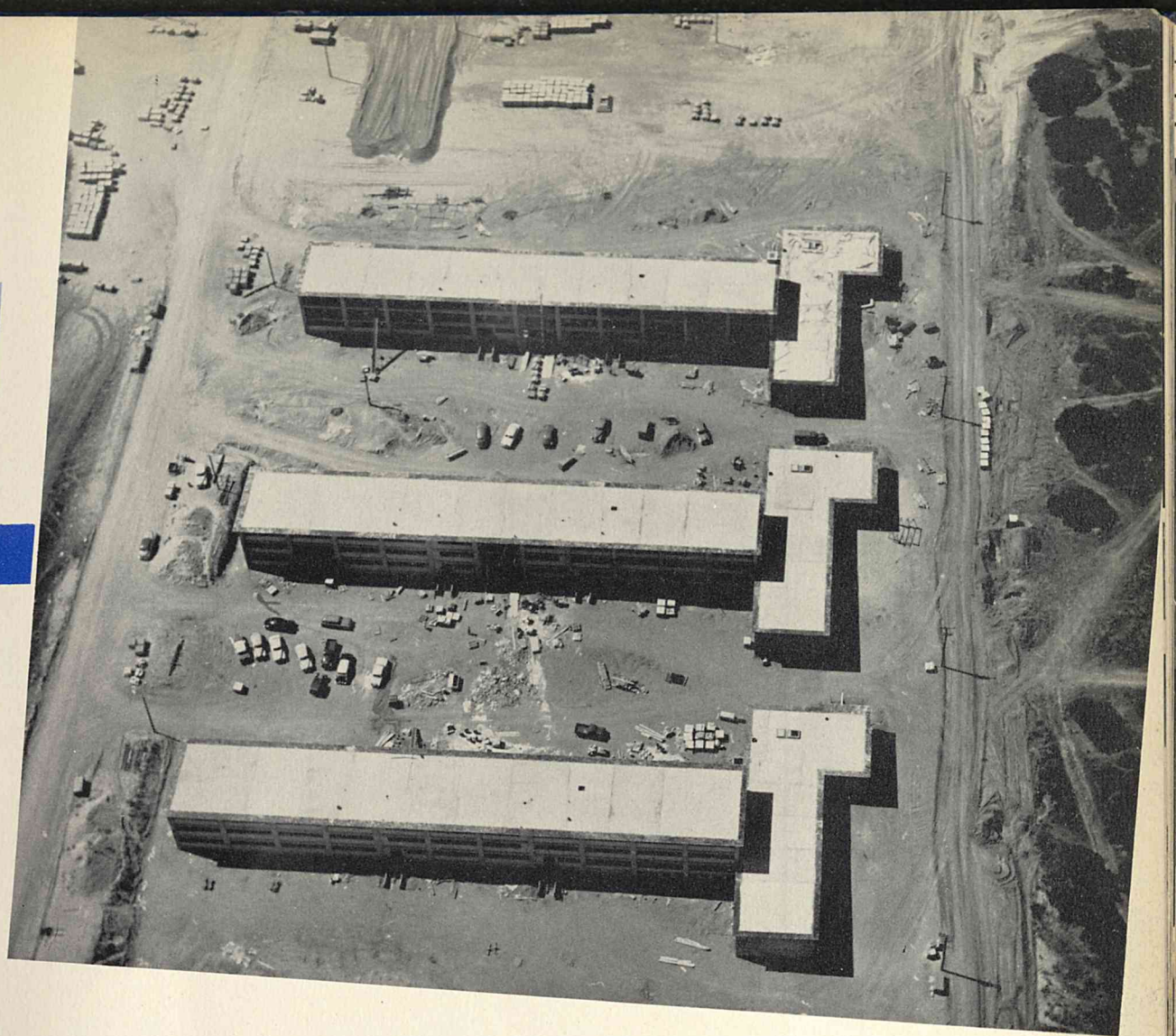
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Now and . . .



East Garrison
Scene



Looking
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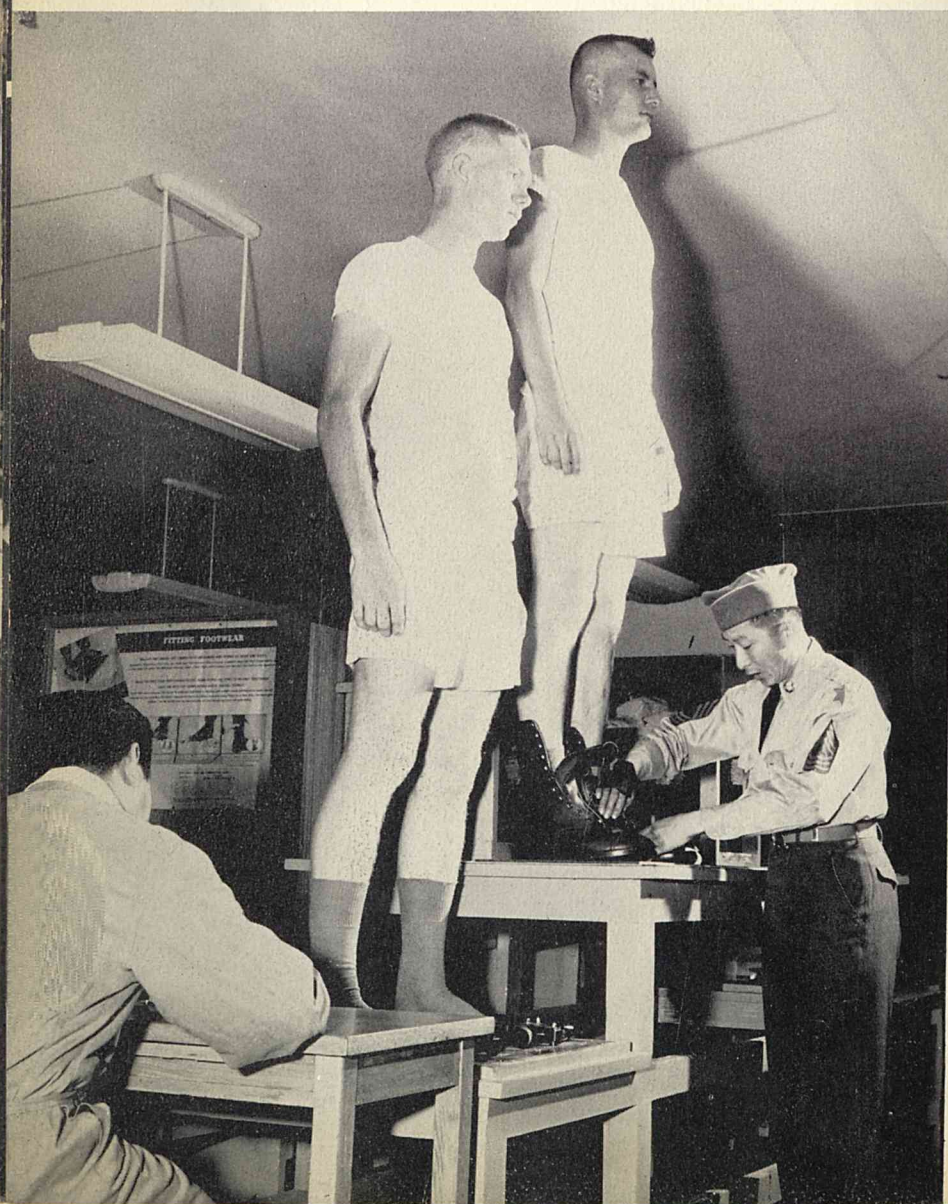


First Night's Bedding



ISSUING and FITTING the UNIFORM





Measurements are
Made to Assure
A Proper Fit of
Shoes

*Ready for
Training*





Goodbye, Civvies!



Conditioning



Rifle Presentation





Double Time



Inspection on
The Company Street



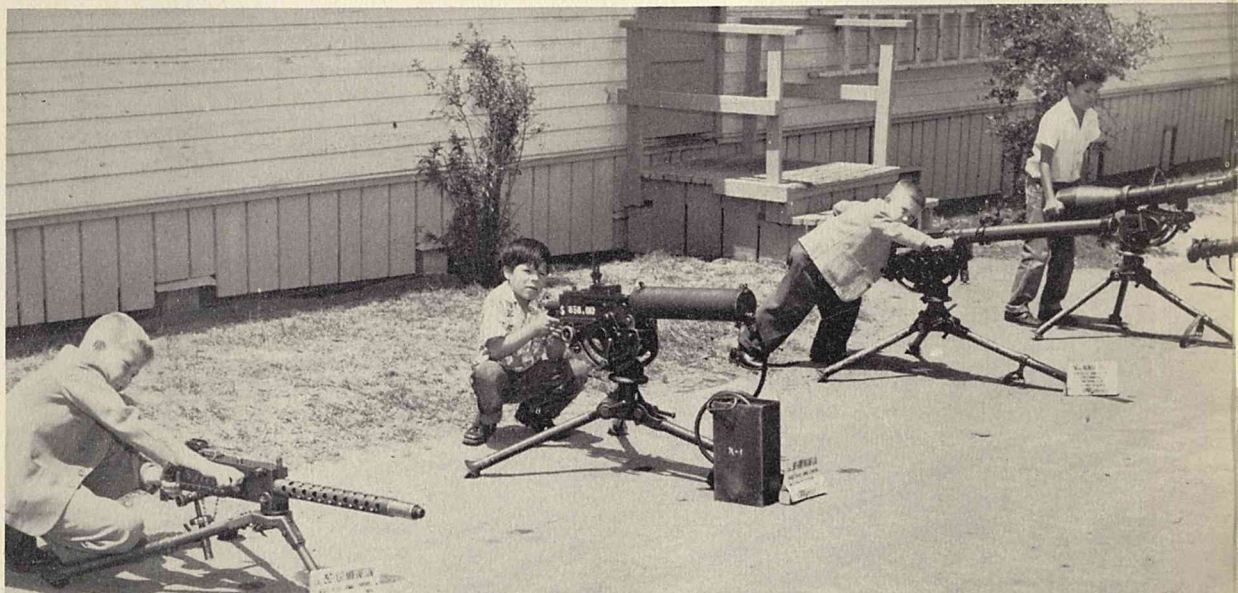
Classwork —
Indoors and Open Air



Open House



Future
Soldiers



Parents and
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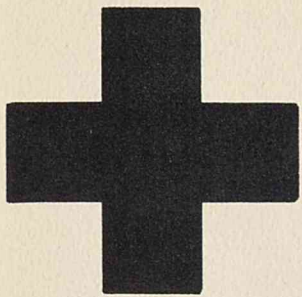


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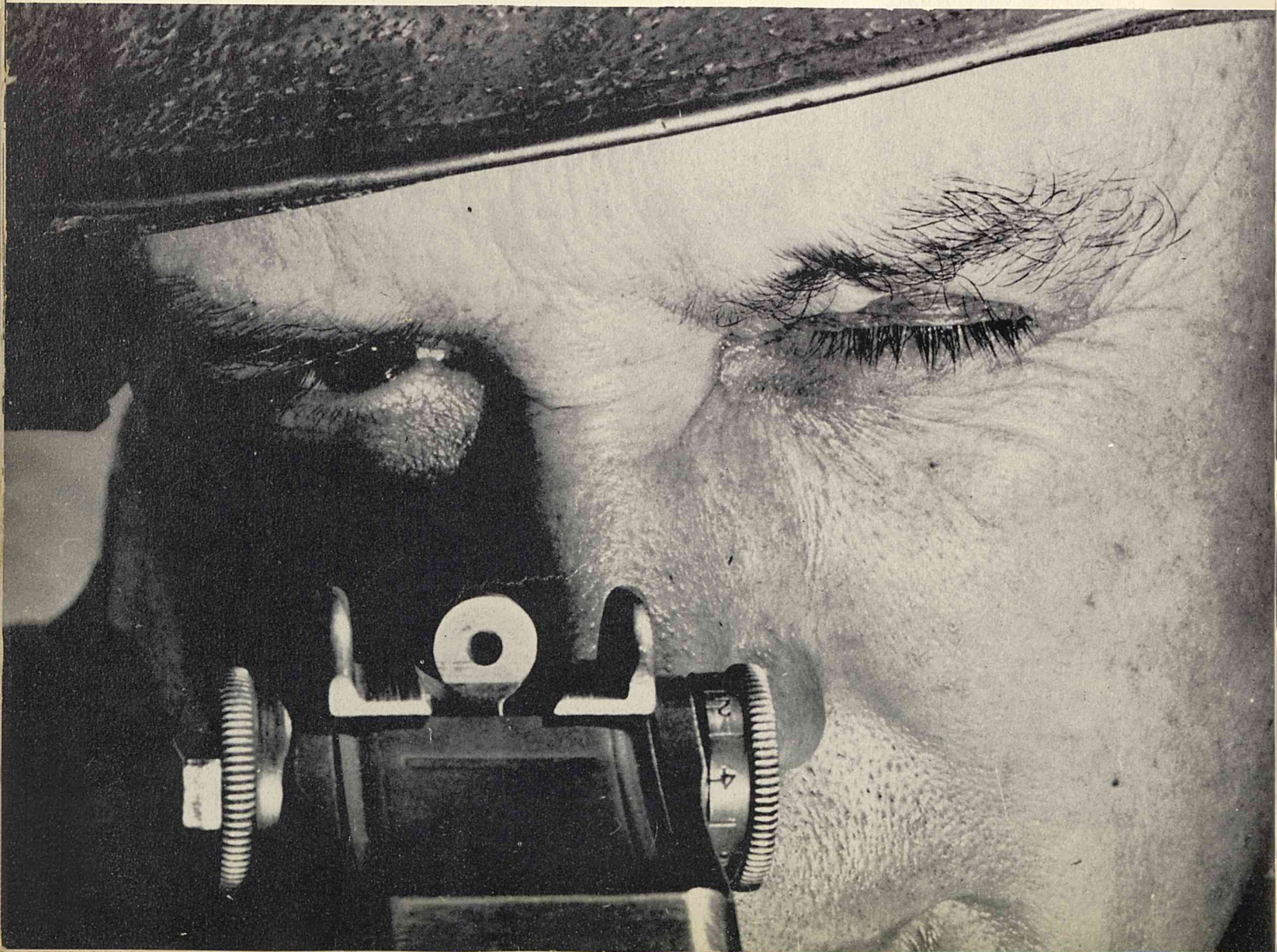
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Firing Week . . .







Developing A Keen Eye . . .





And A Keen Appetite

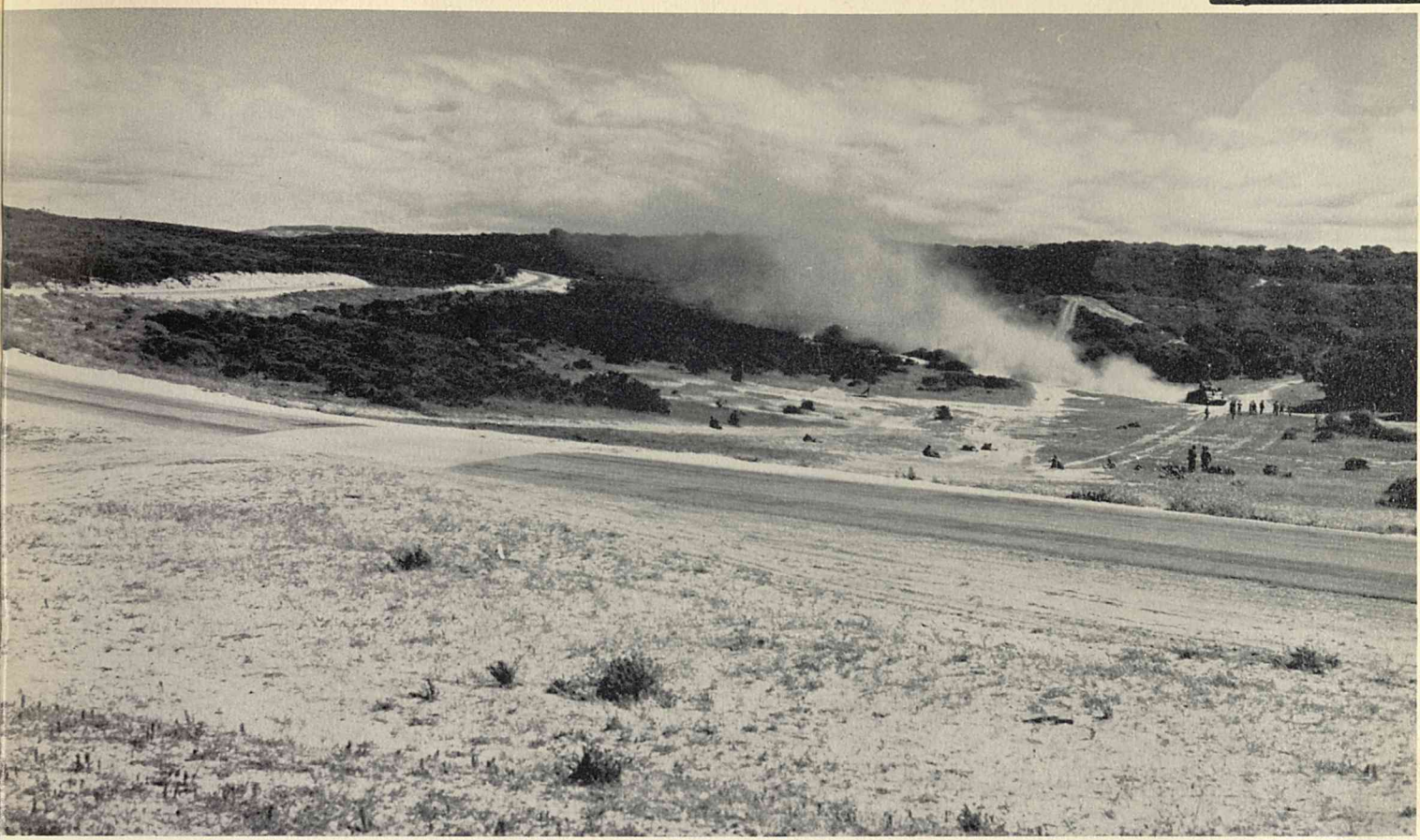




MAP STUDY



BAYONET ASSAULT



Parker Flats . . . The Scene
of Many Training Hours



Developing Good Footwork



Practice



DRAWING ROCKETS for



ACTUAL FIRING



Swimming



What A Kick!



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A Little
"Off-Duty"
FUN

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RECOILLESS RIFLE



Inspection...
GARRISON



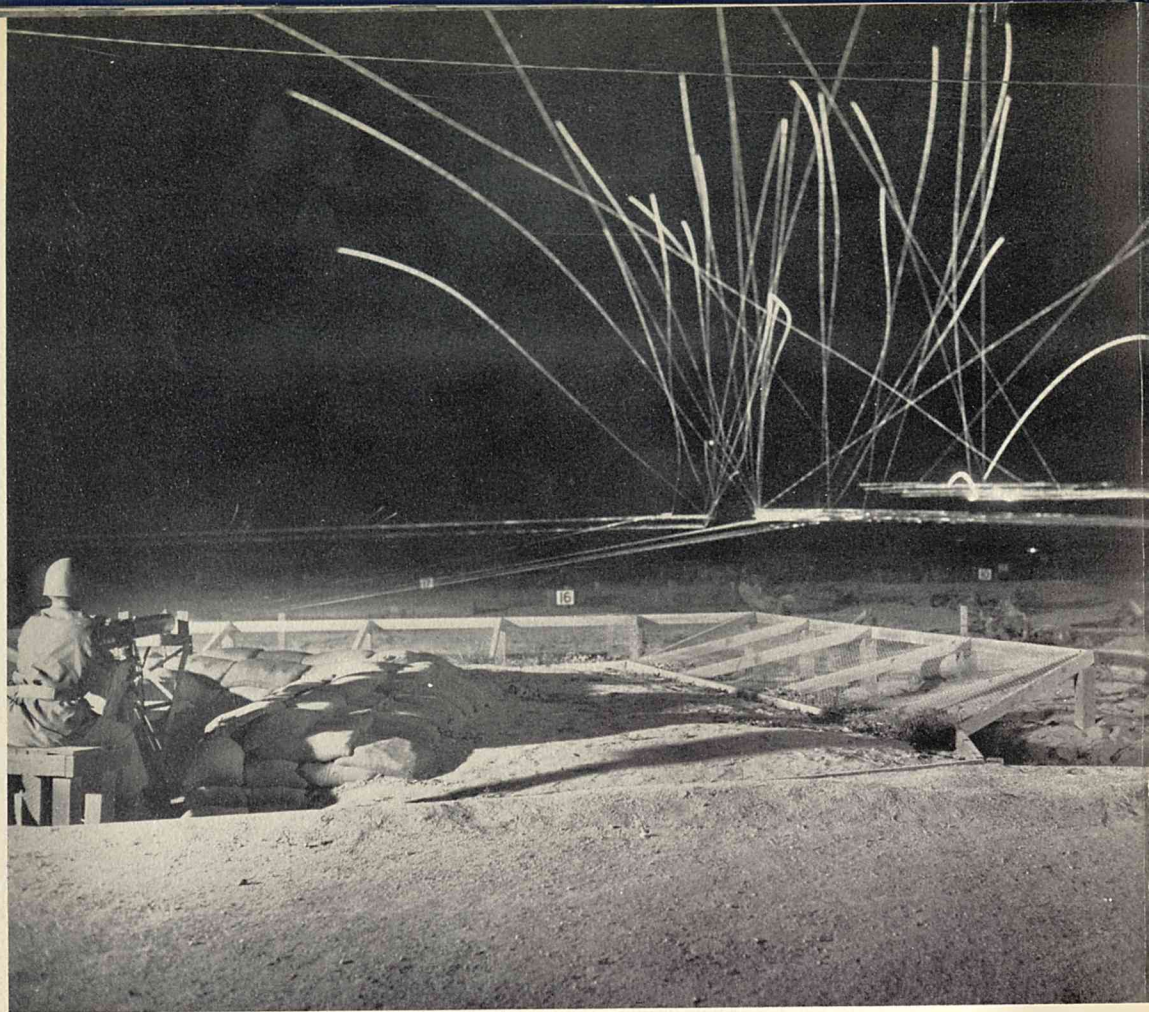
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Infiltration

**BY
NIGHT**

AND DAY

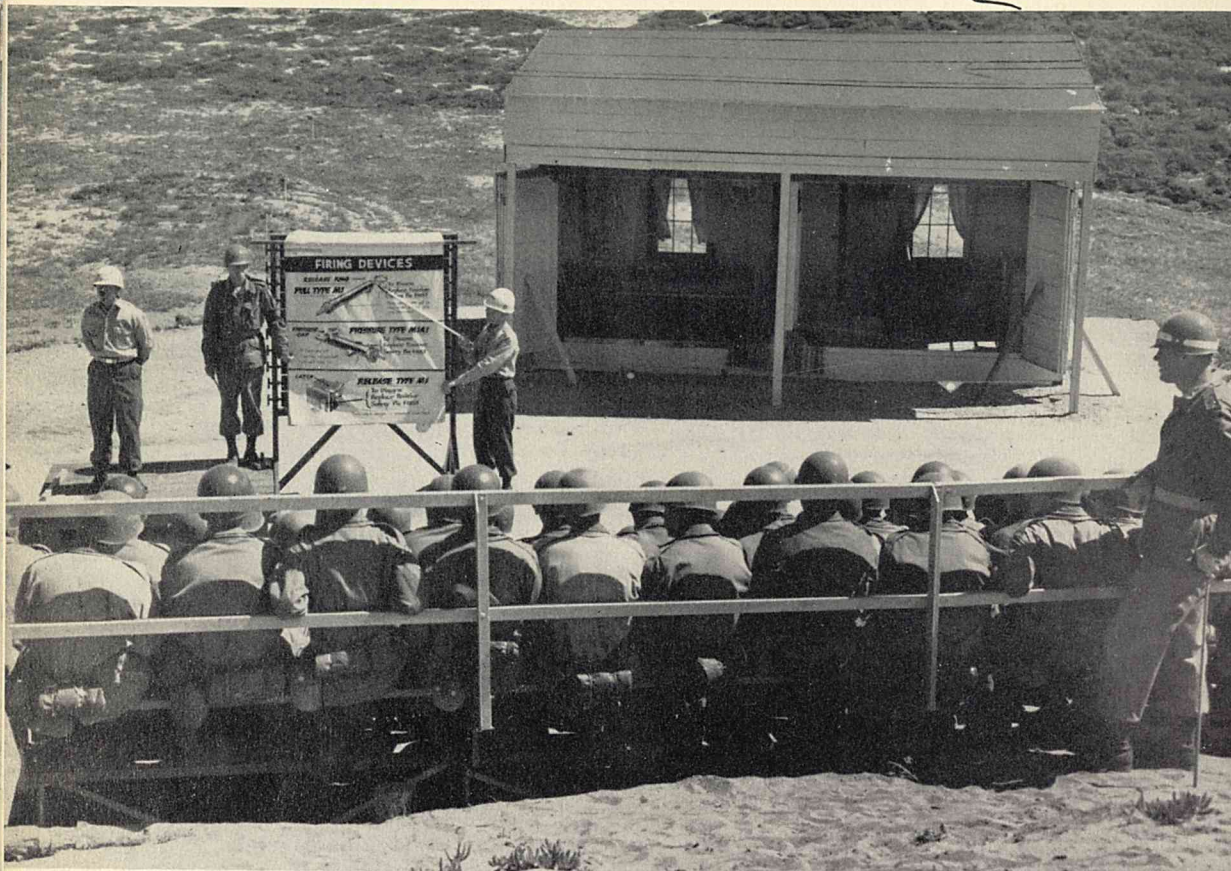




DISMOUNTED DRILL



Movement in Unison



MINES AND
BOOBY TRAPS



Guard Detail

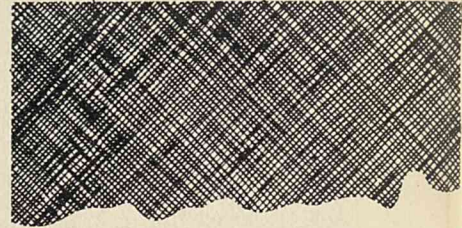


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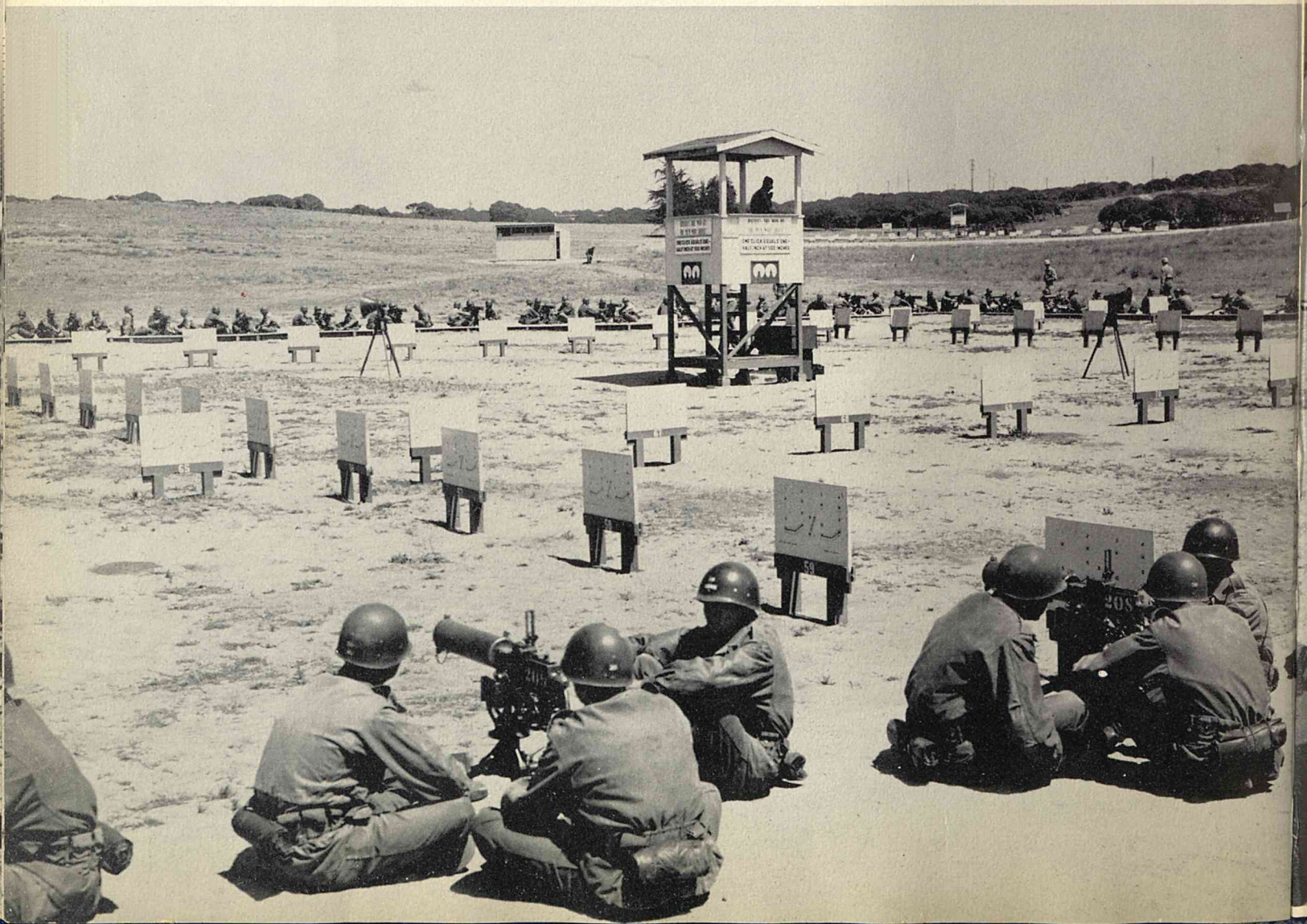


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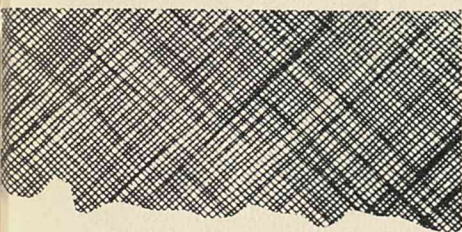


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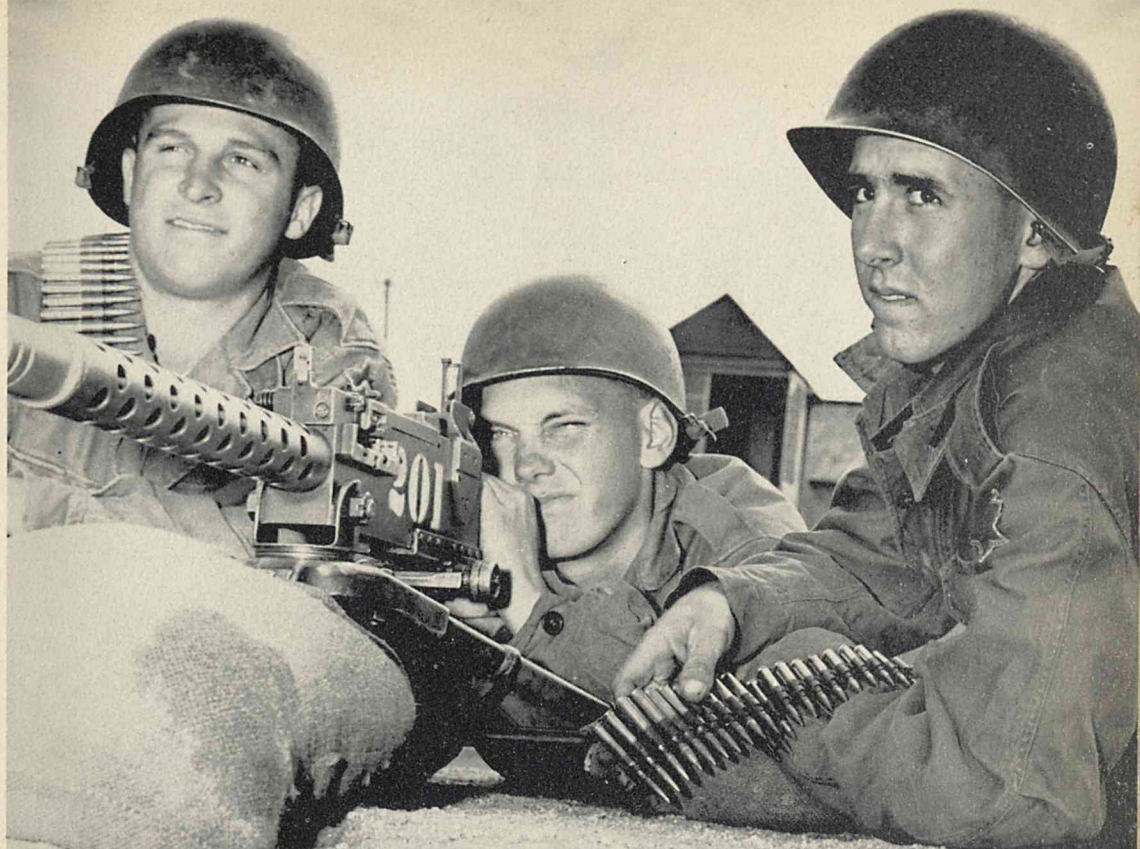


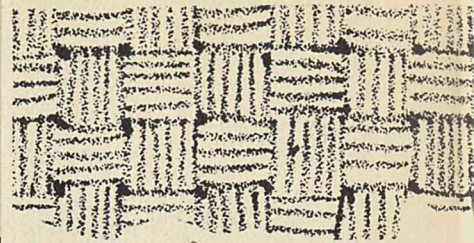
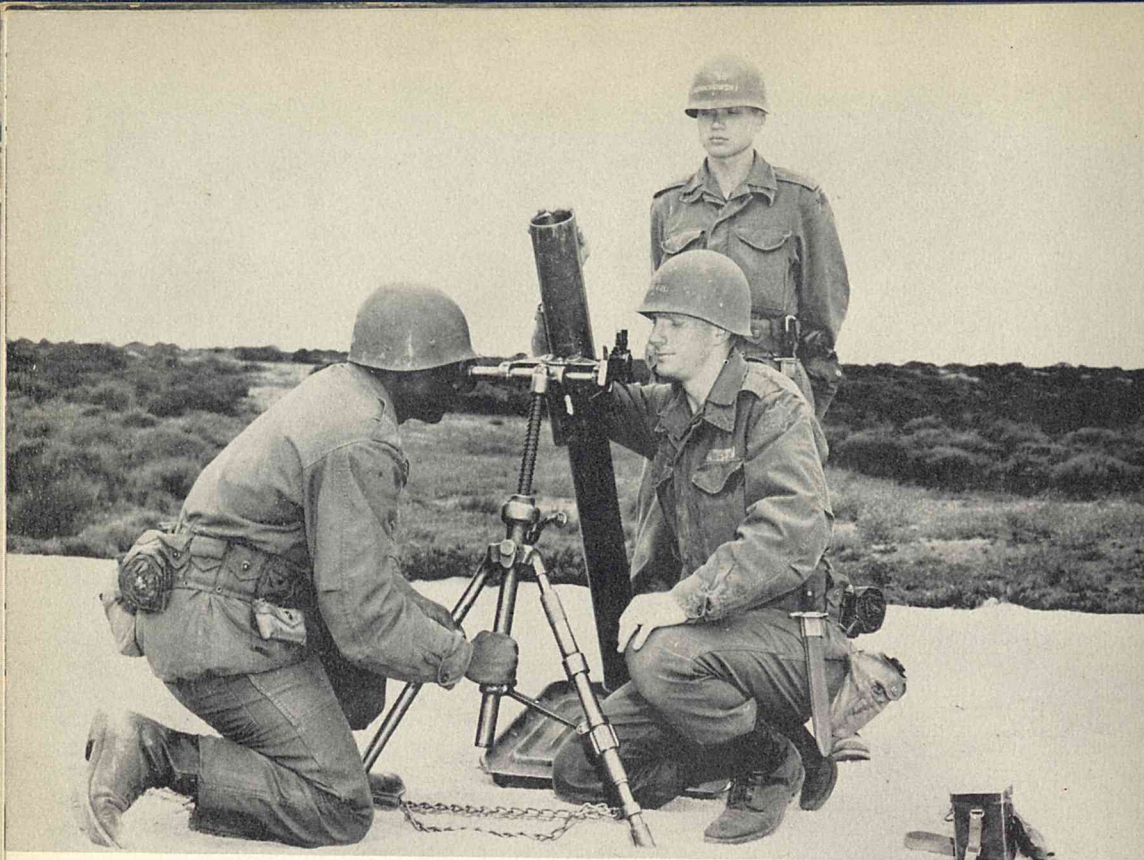
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Light

KD
Range
Firing





81 M.M.

**ON
THE
SQUARE**





MORTARS





60M.M.

INSTR



MORTAR
DUCTION



Red Cross and Chapel



Service Club — 2nd Ave.



During off-duty hours the Service Club, Post Chapels, the Sports Arena, Post Library and Post Exchanges were available.

The USAFI afforded us the opportunity to further our education through the courses it maintained.

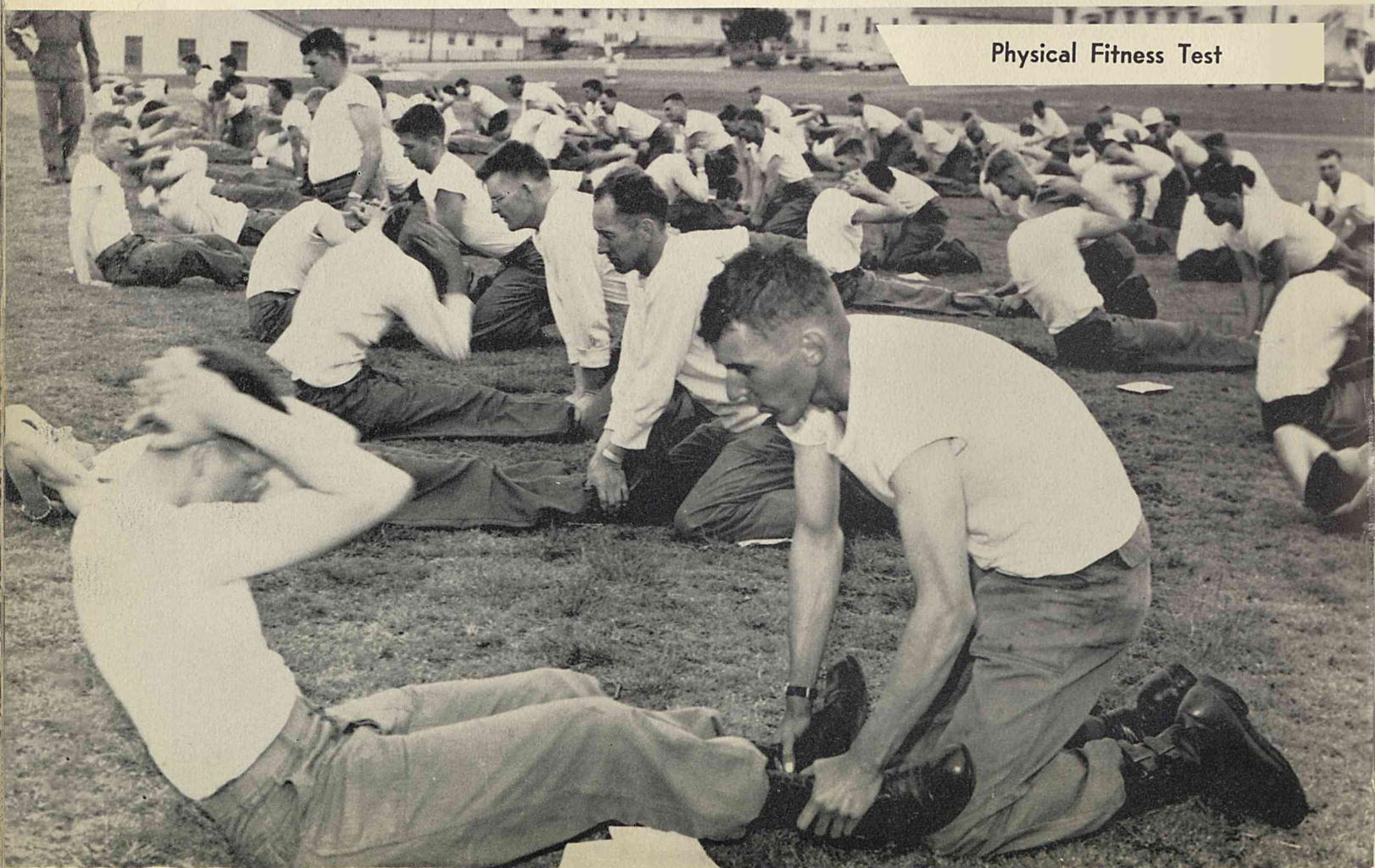
Selecting A
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On A Local
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On One of the Many Ranges



Physical Fitness Test

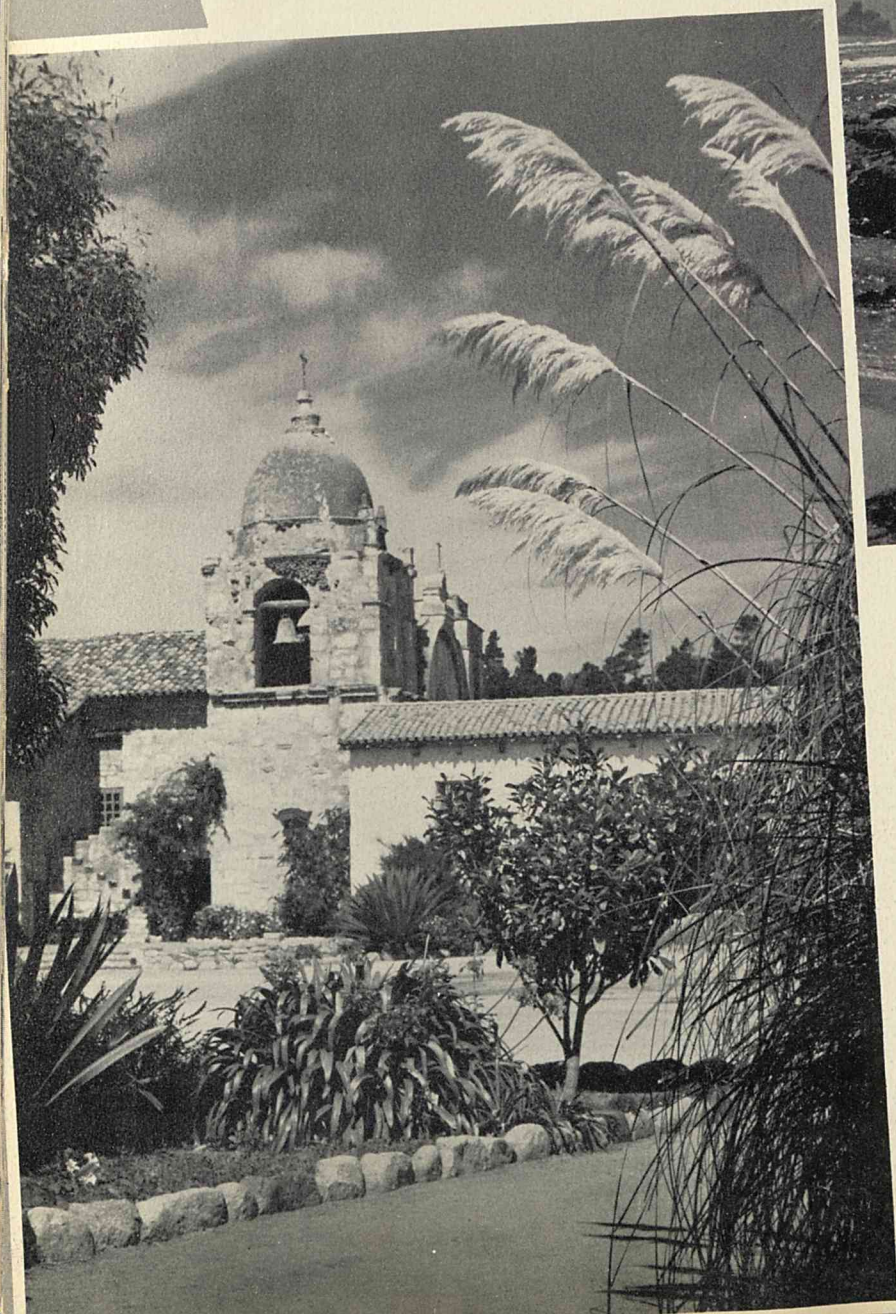
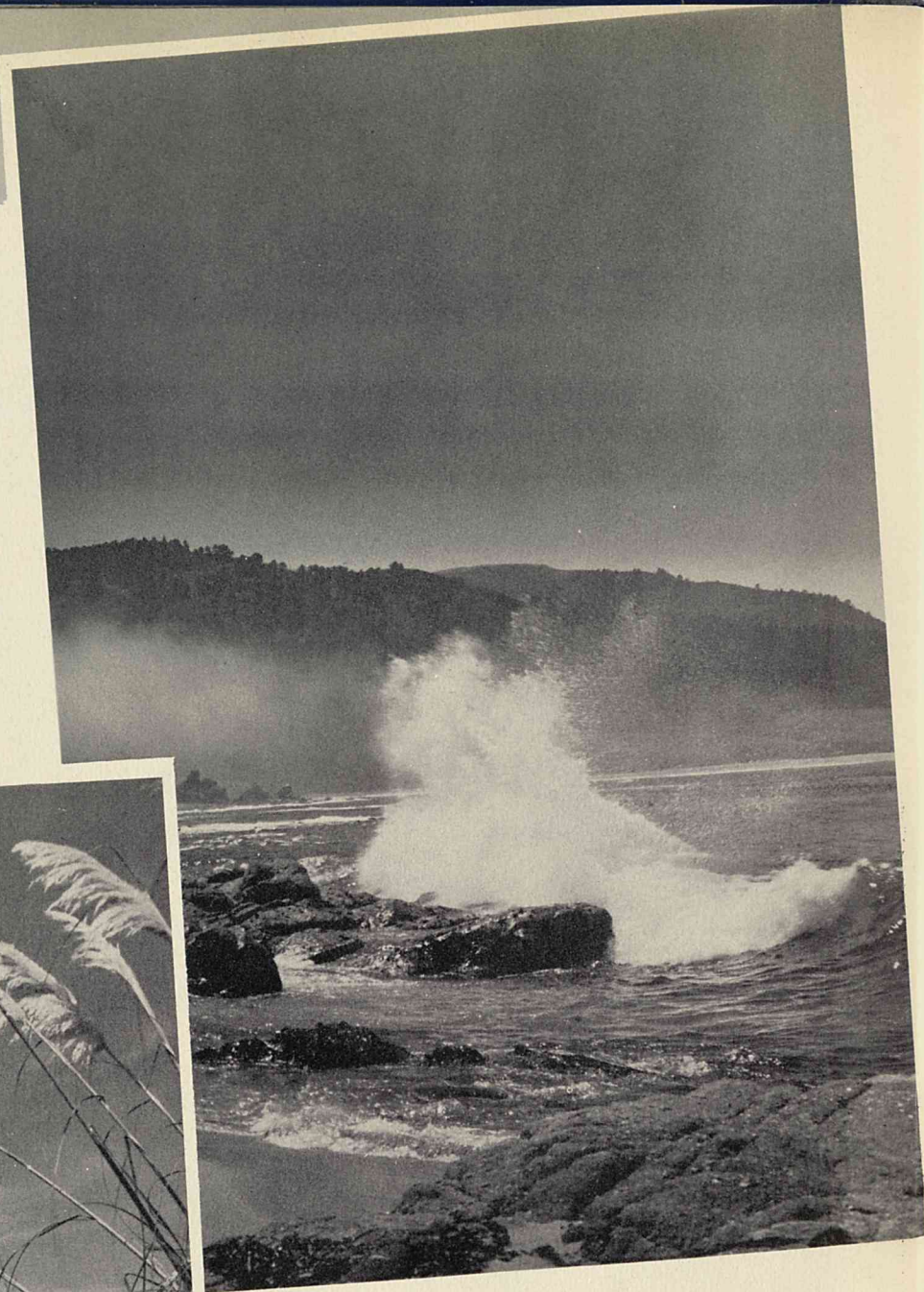


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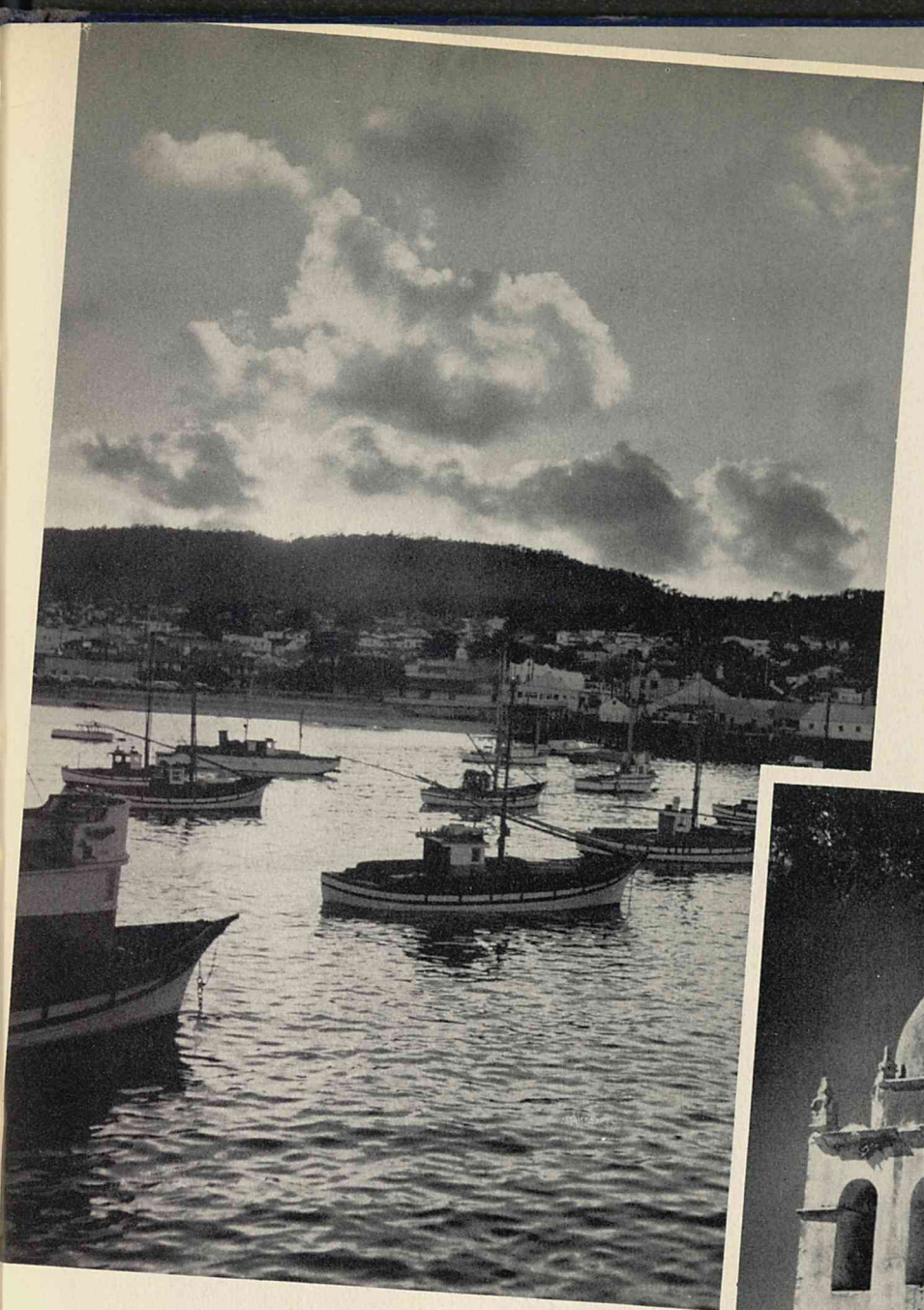


MARCH to Get Back!

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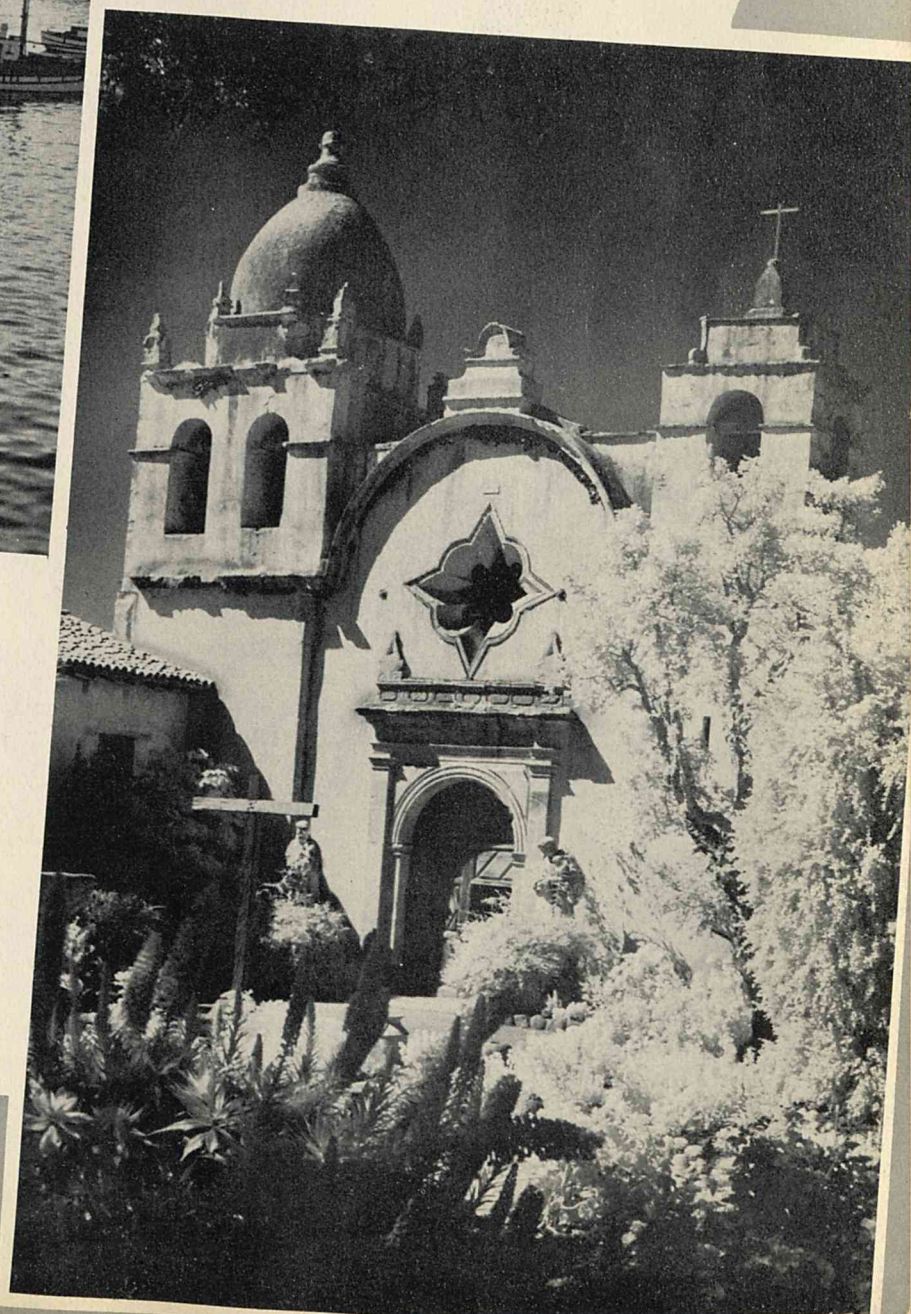


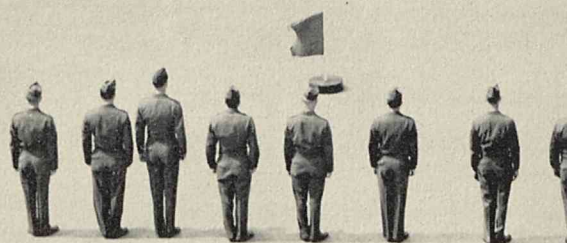
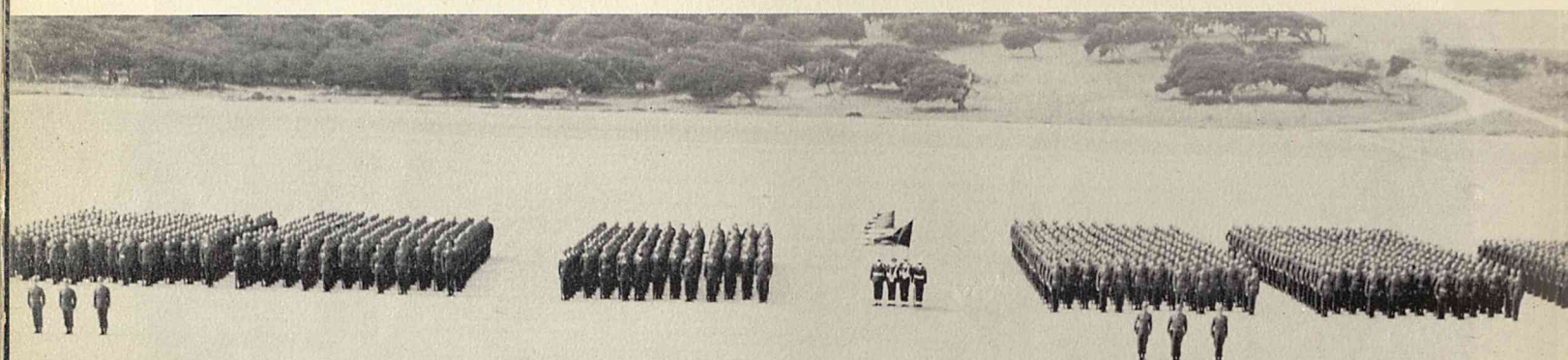
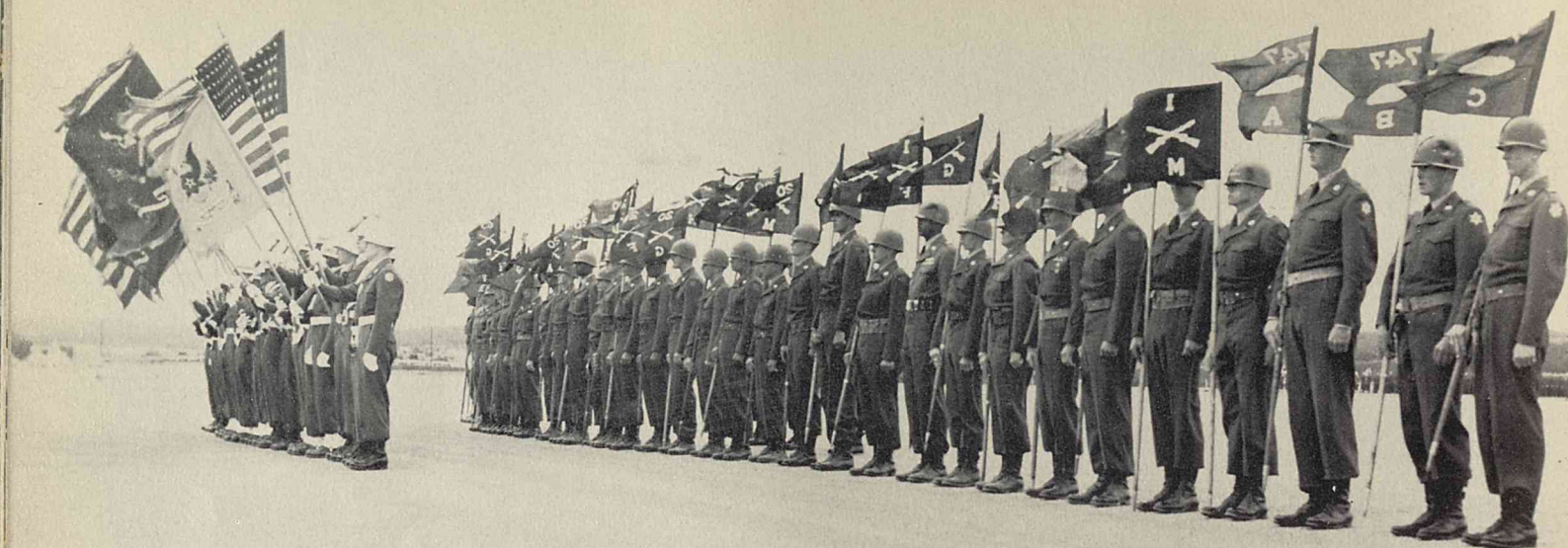
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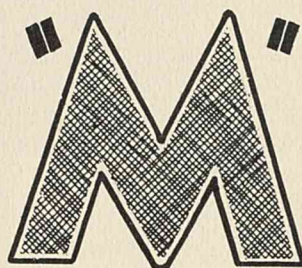
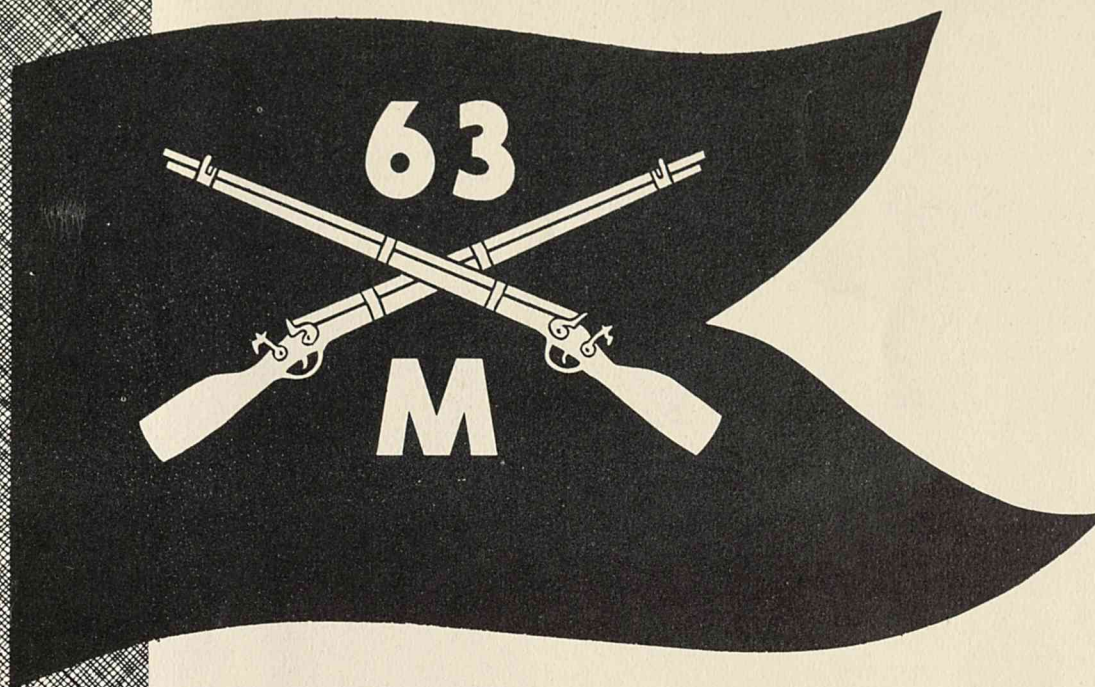
Beauty to See
While at
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63rd INFANTRY REGIMENT

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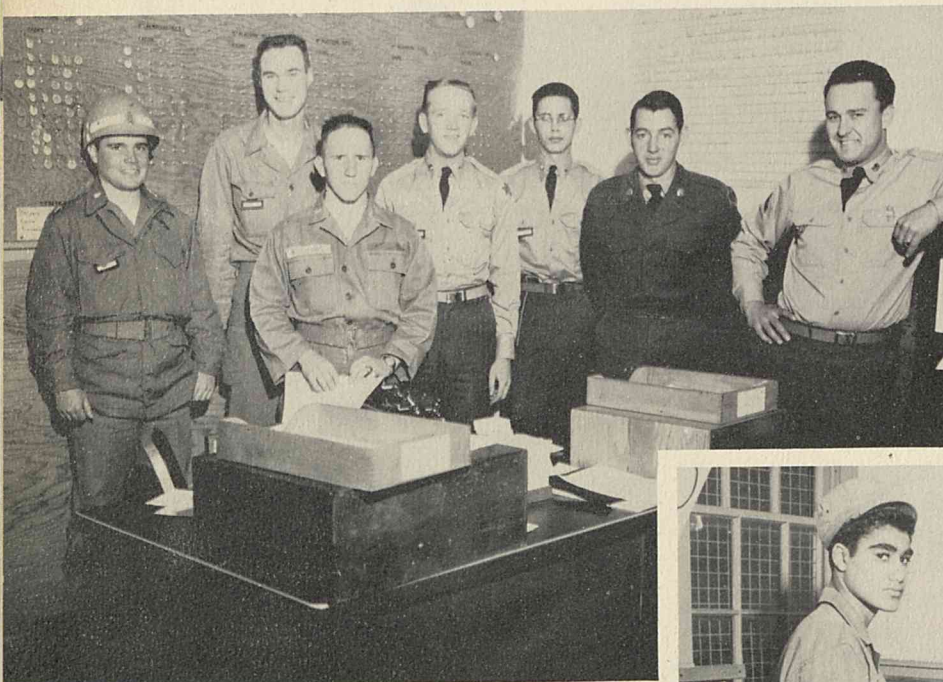


FIRST LIEUTENANT
WARD K. PEEBLES
Company Commander

STAFF



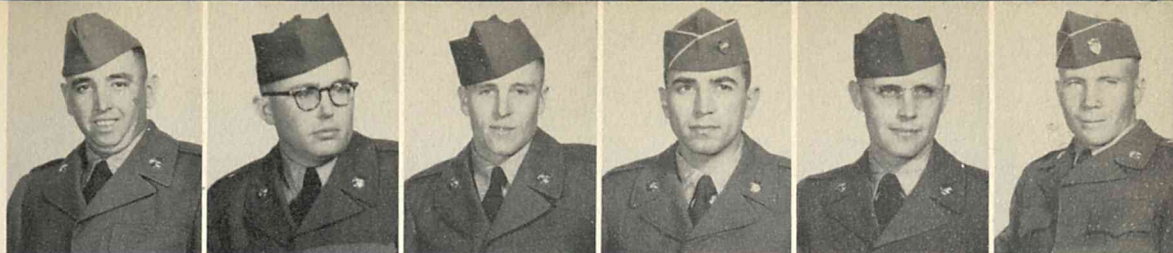
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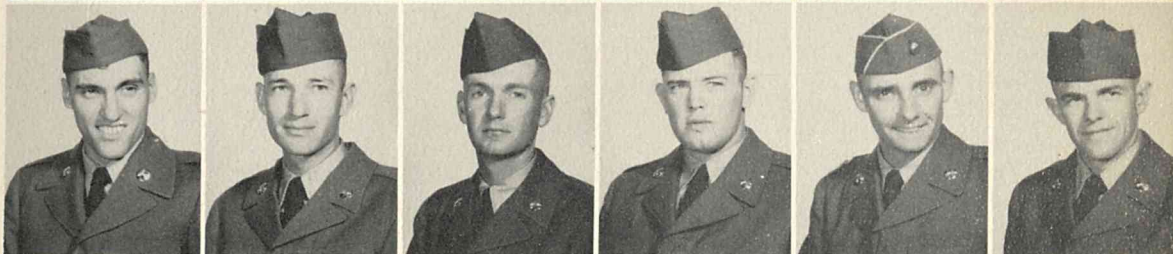
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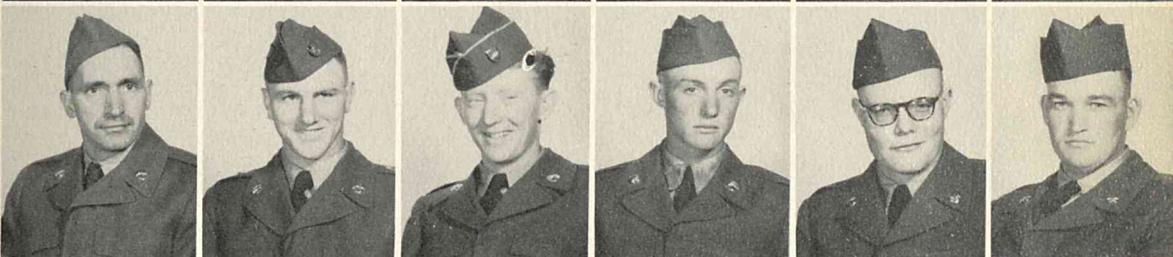
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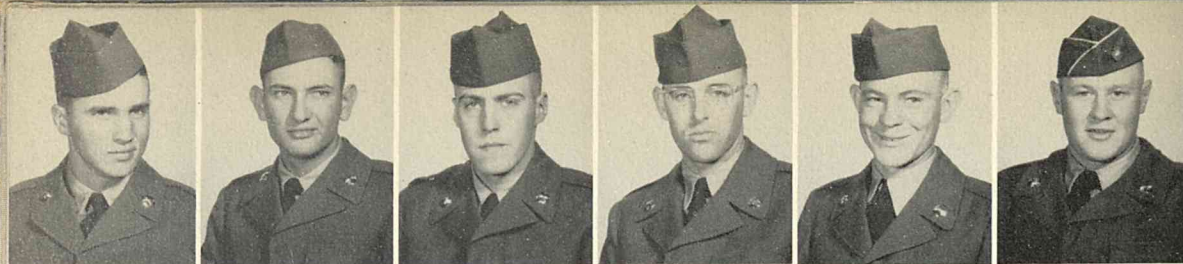
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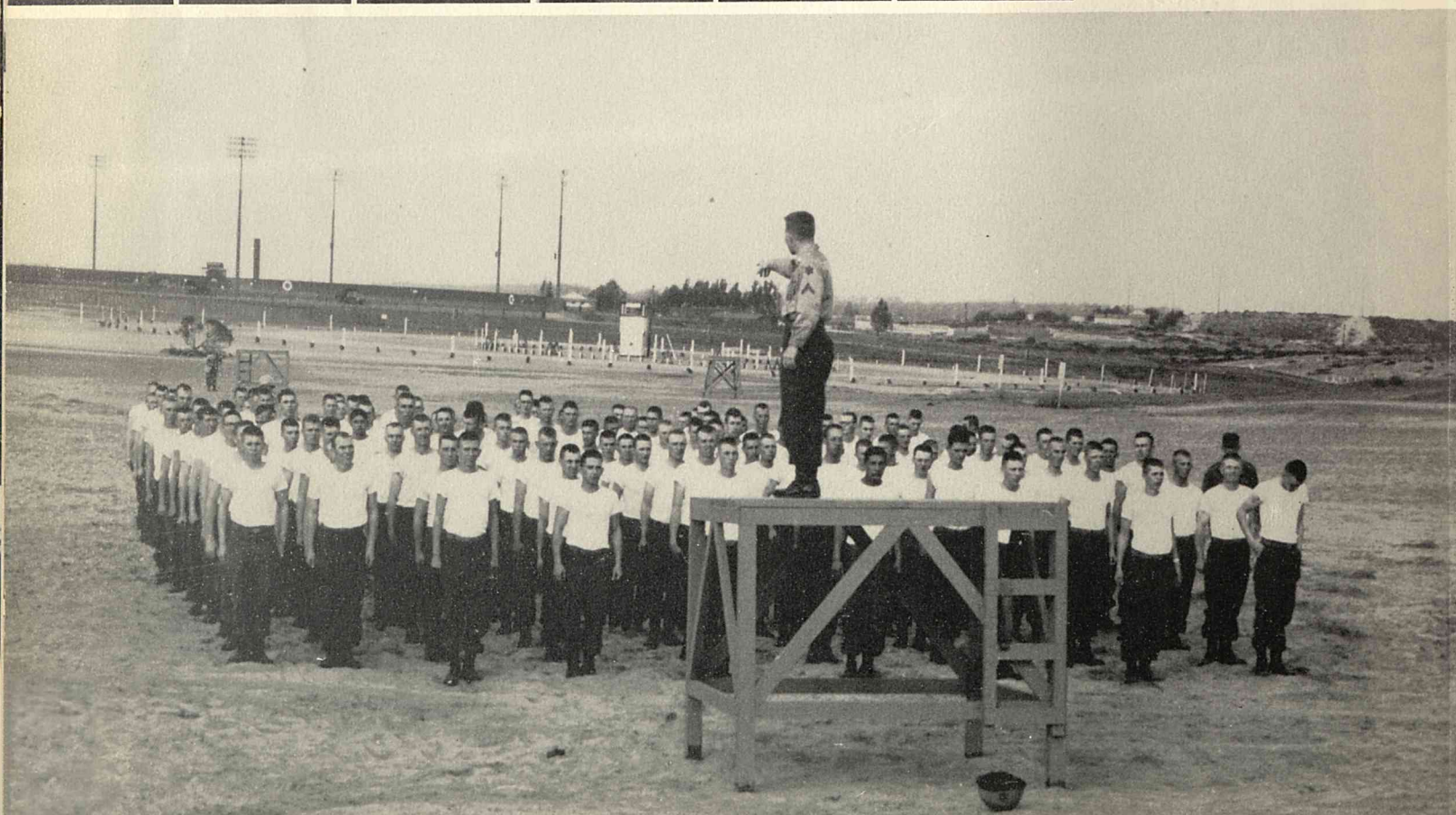
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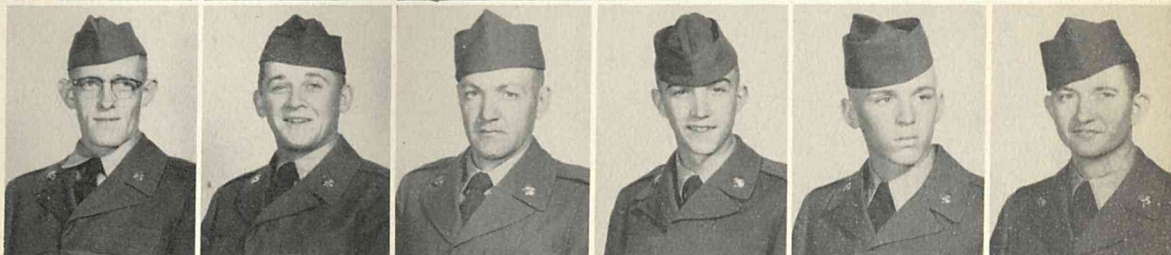


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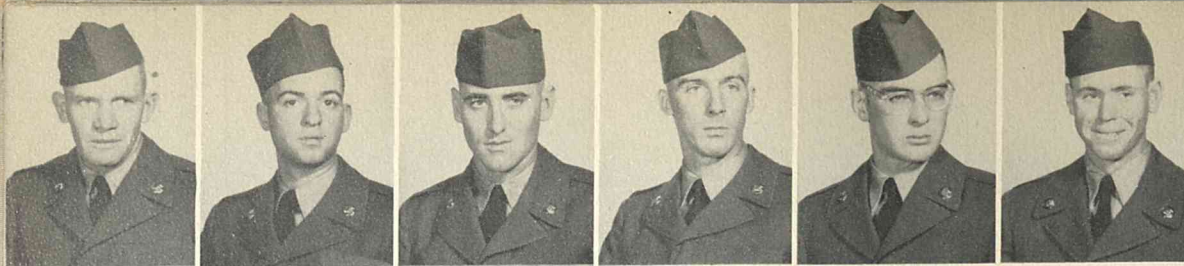


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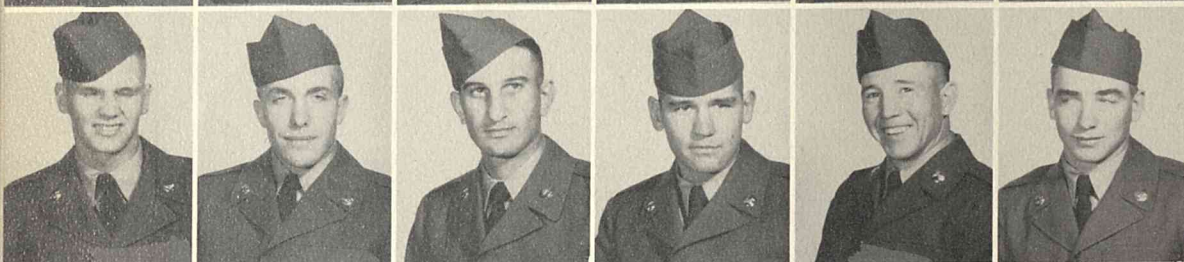




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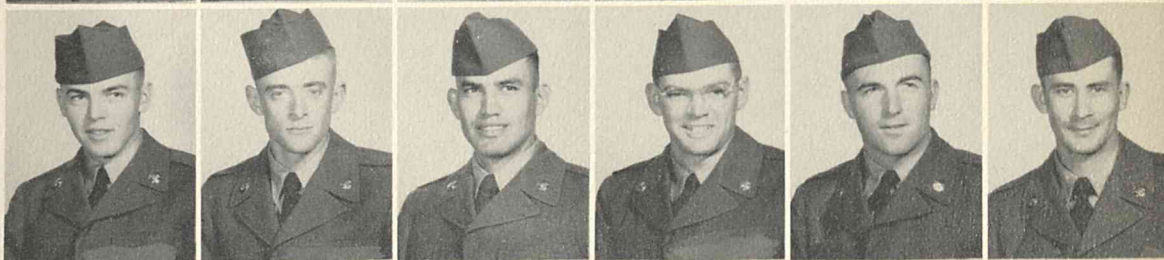
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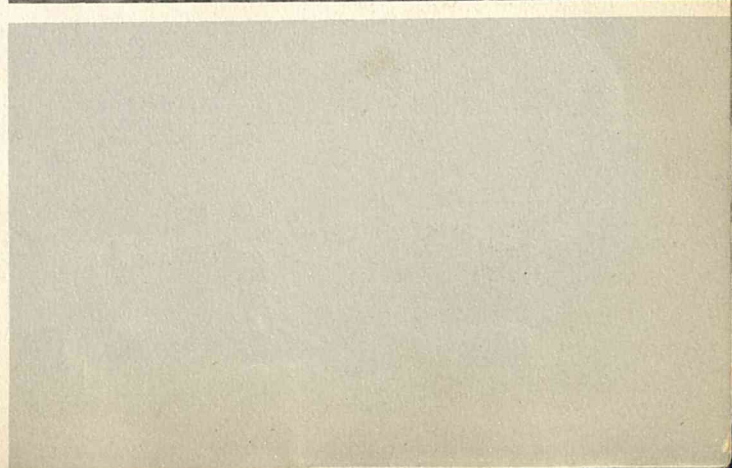
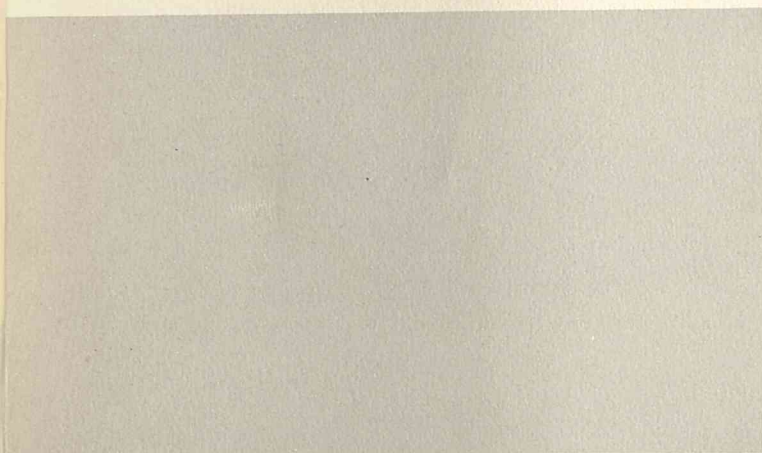
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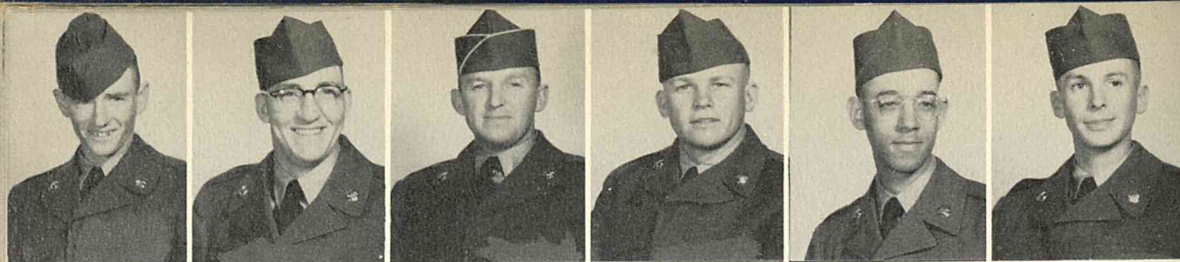


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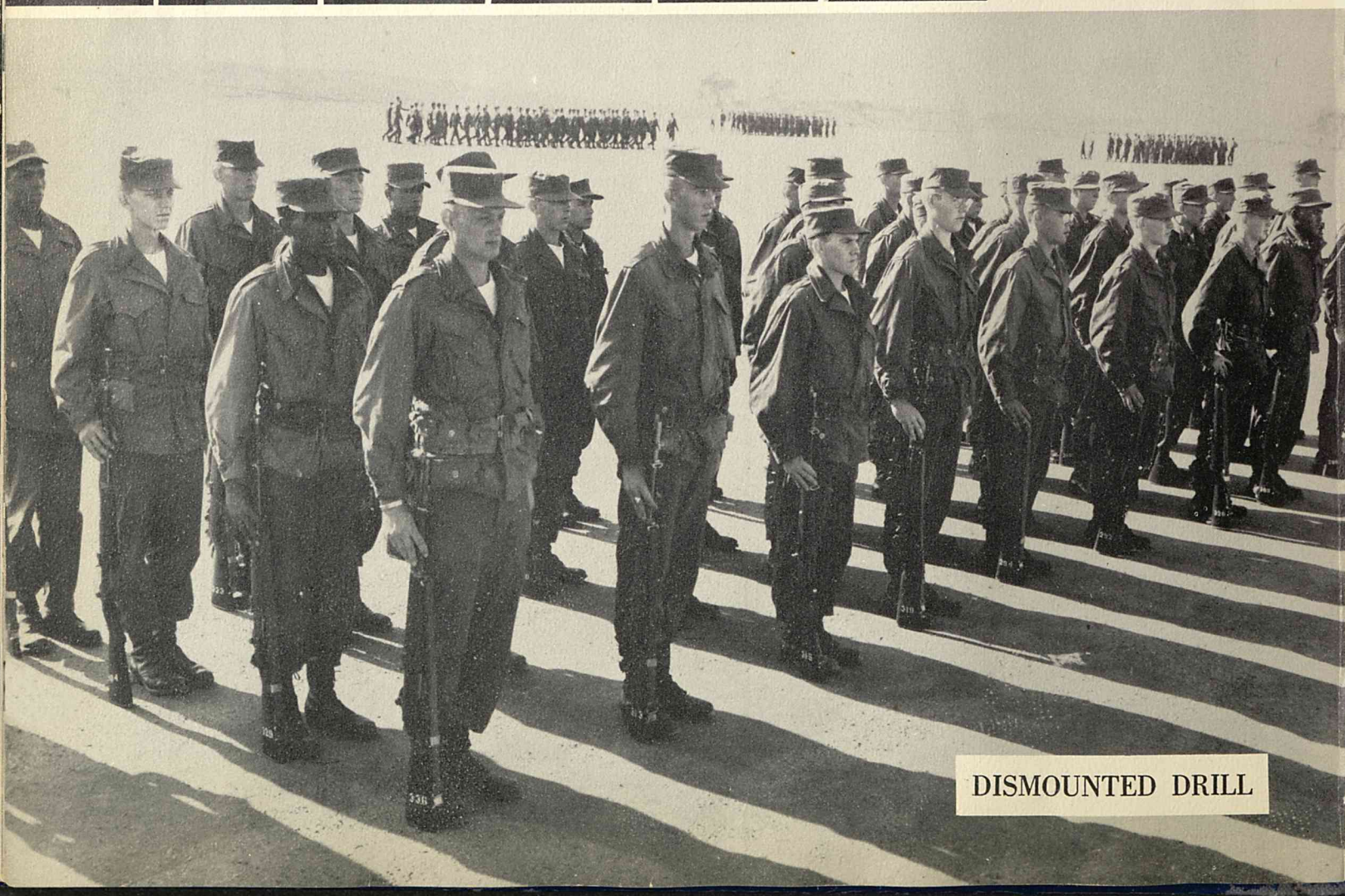
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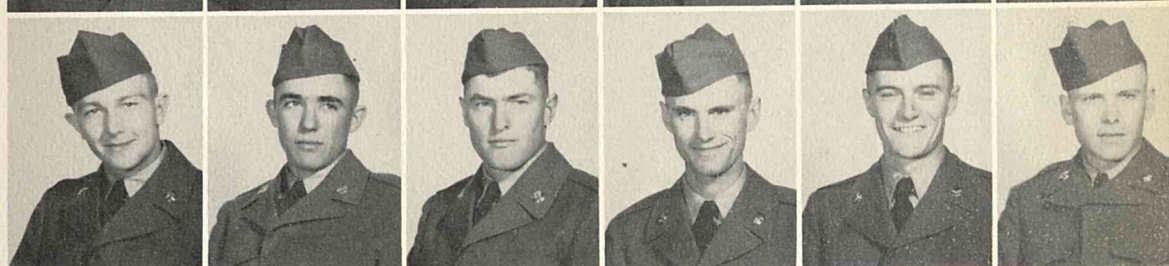
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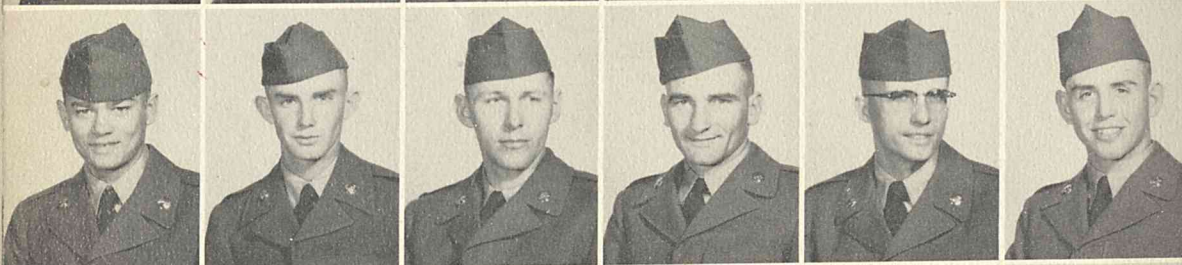




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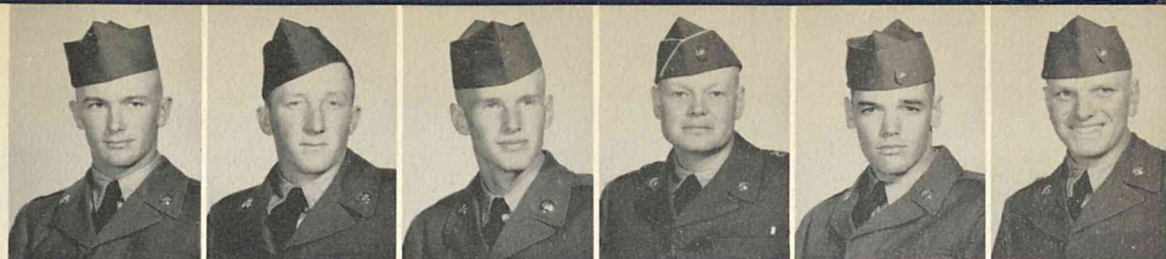
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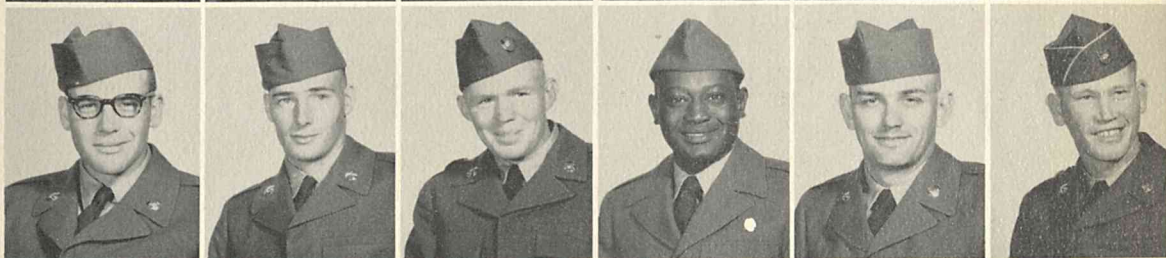
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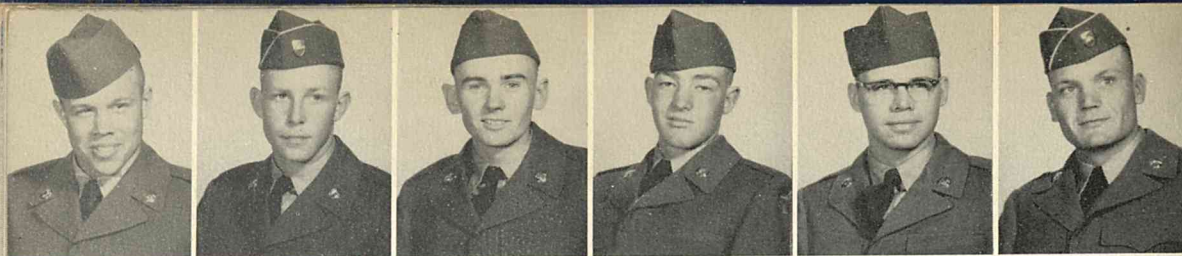


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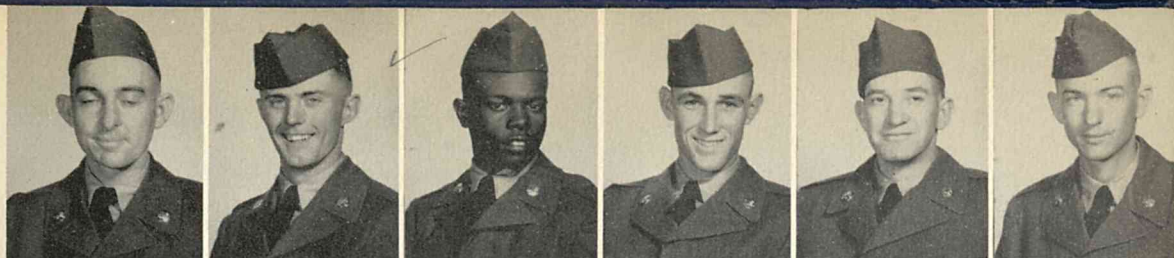
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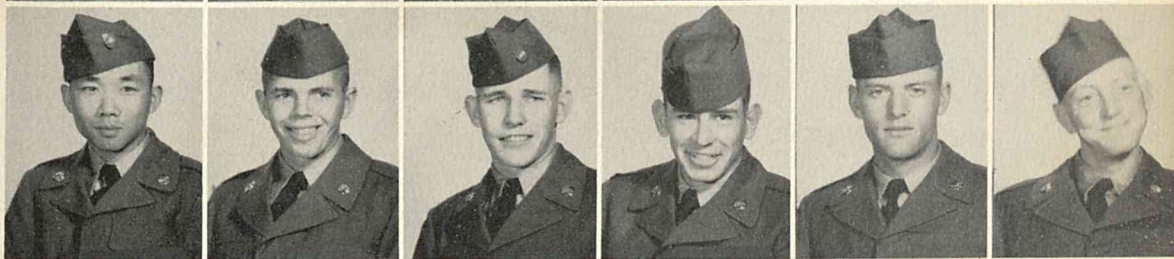
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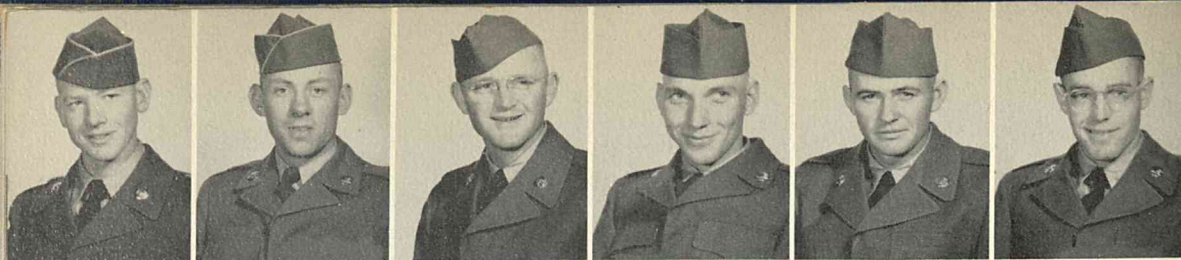


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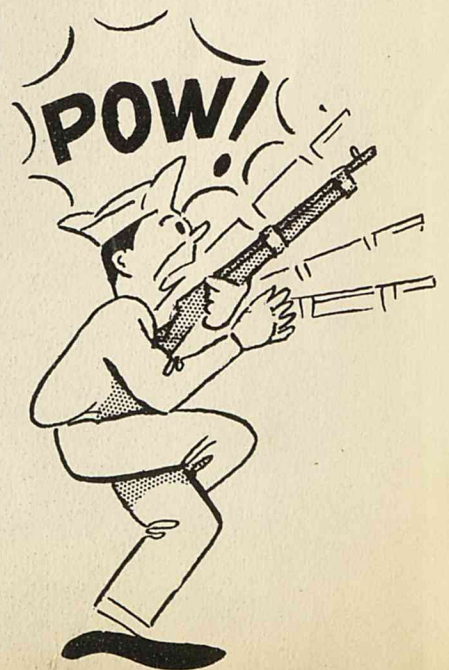


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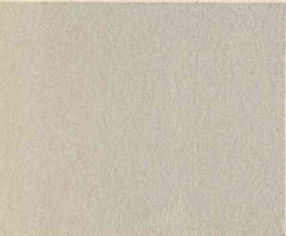


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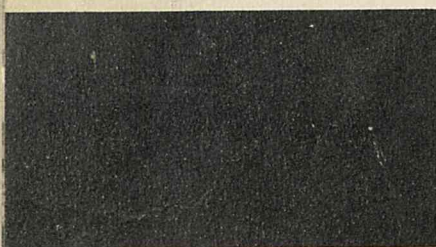


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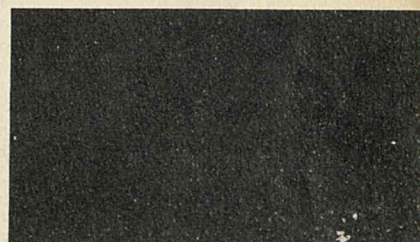




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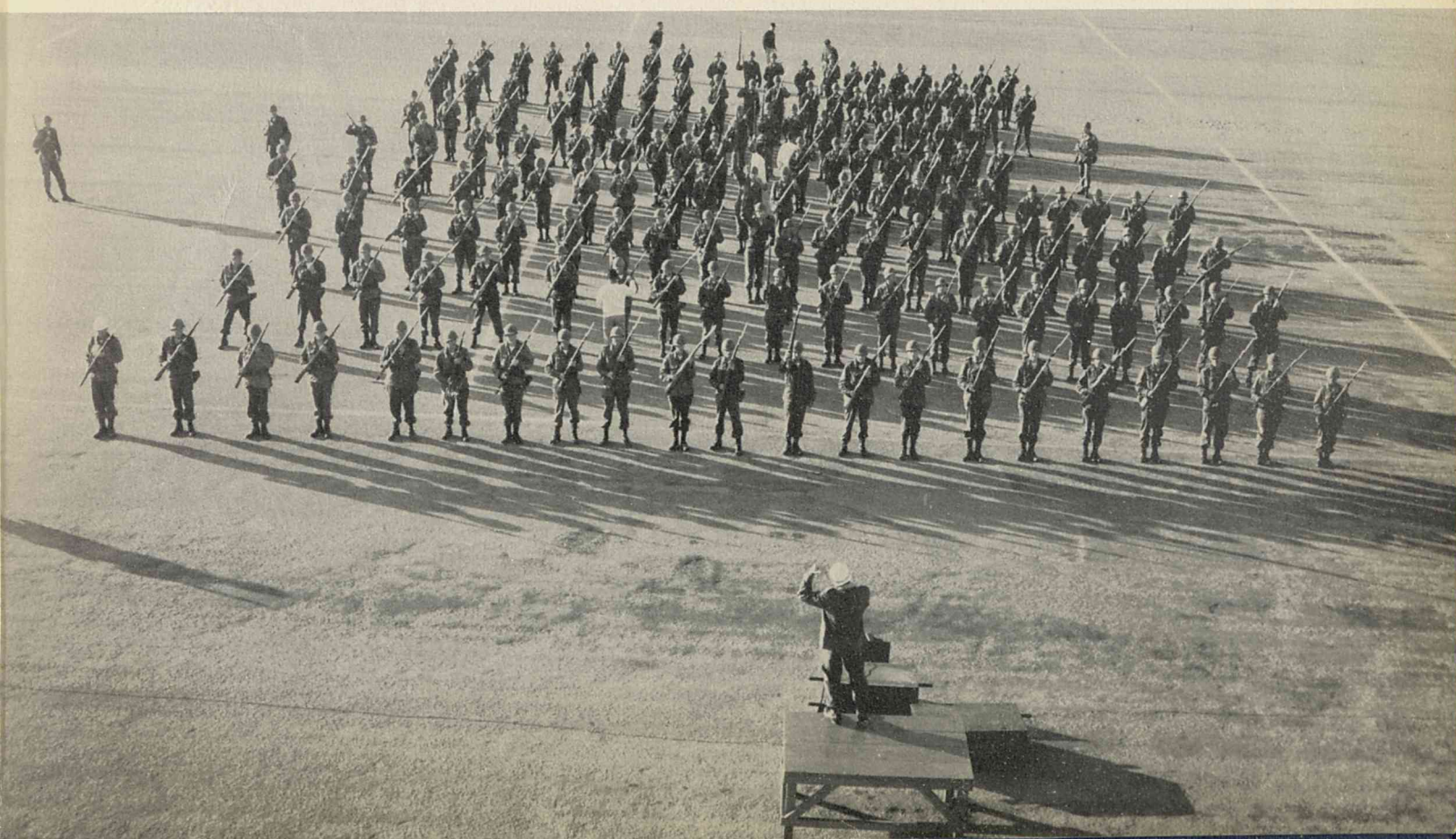
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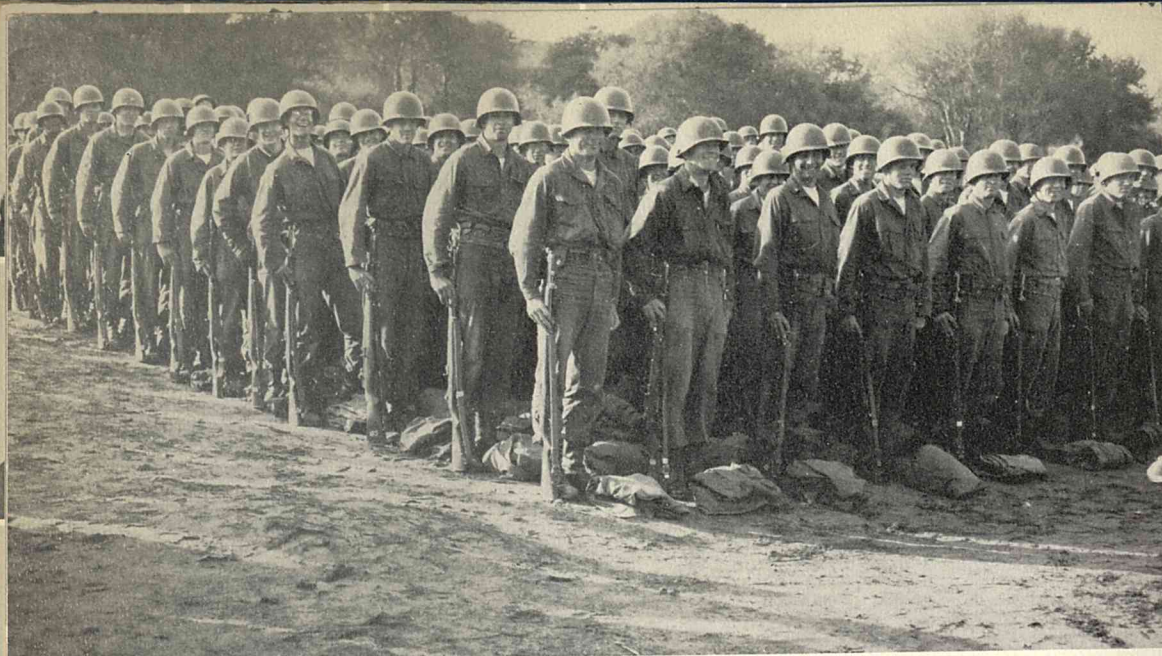






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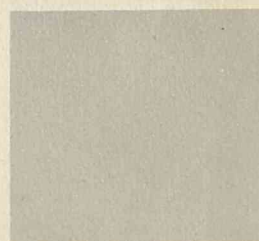




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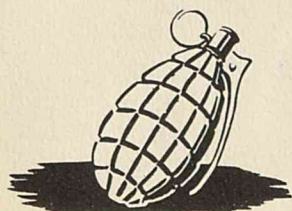
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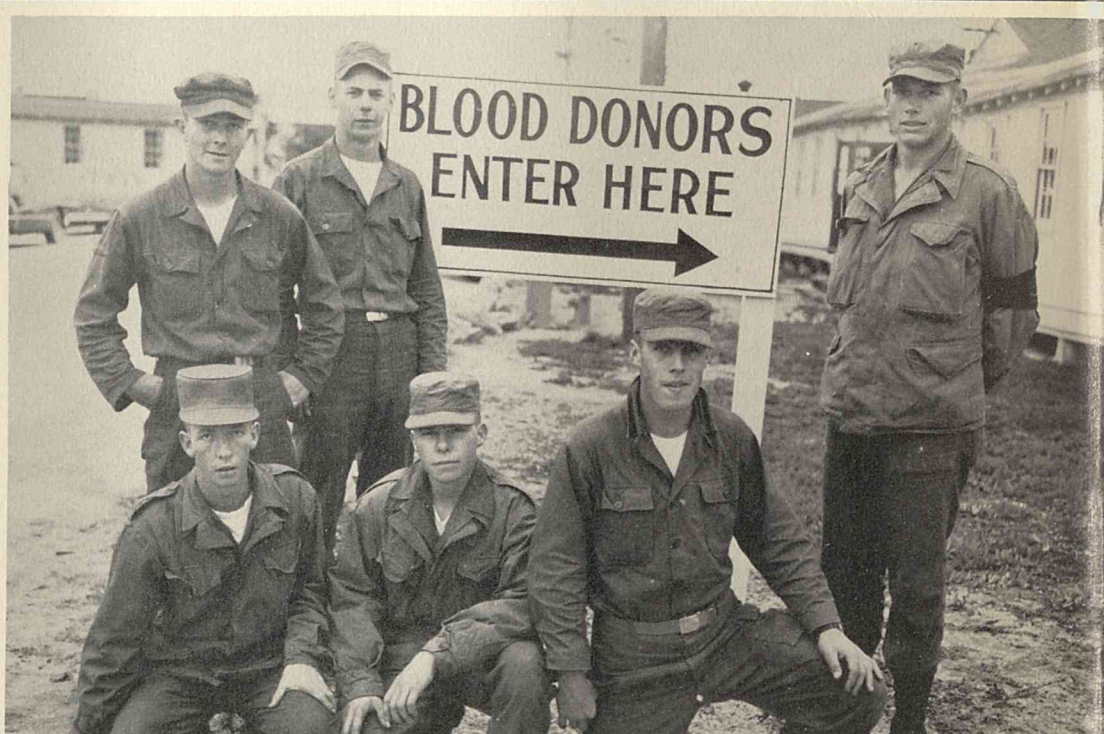




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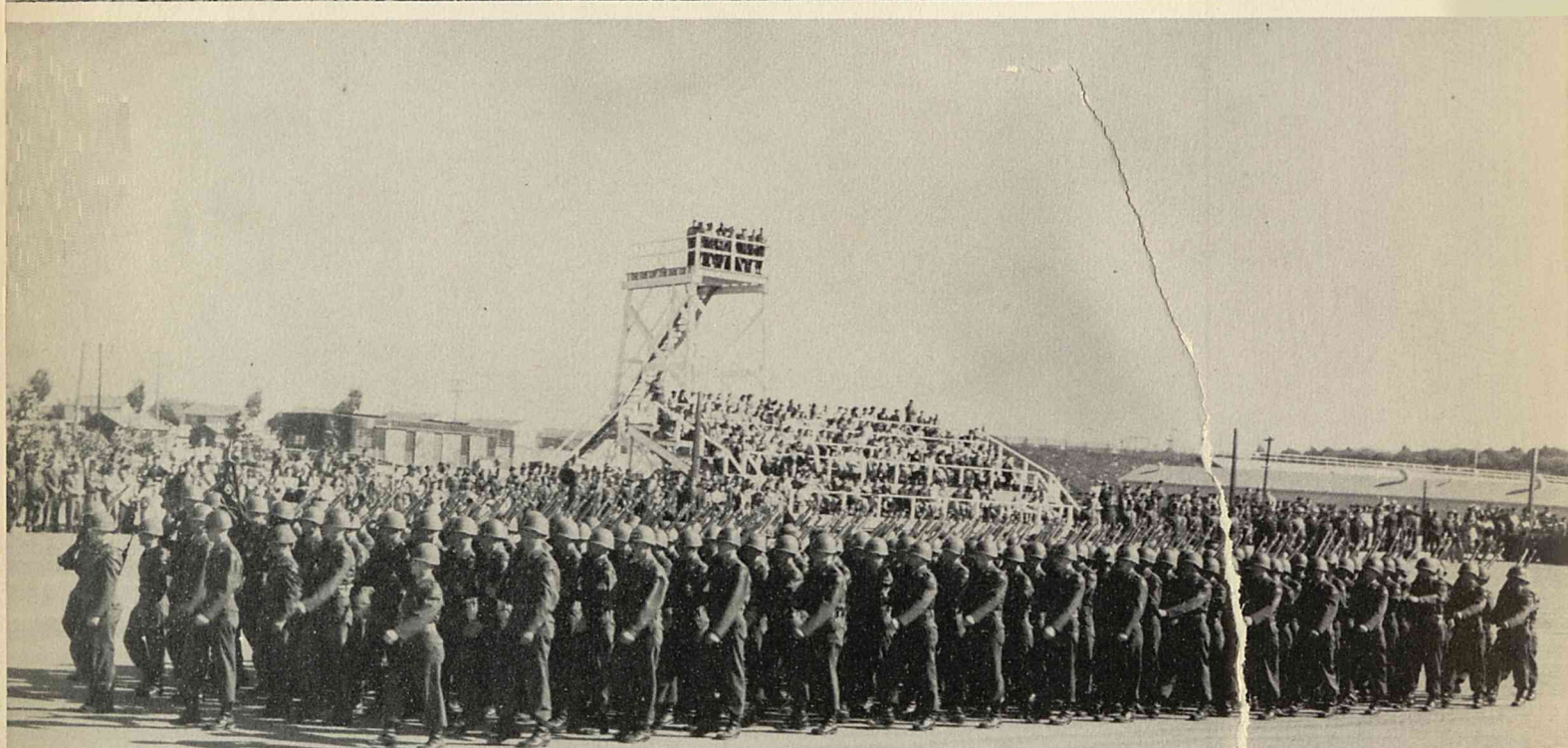
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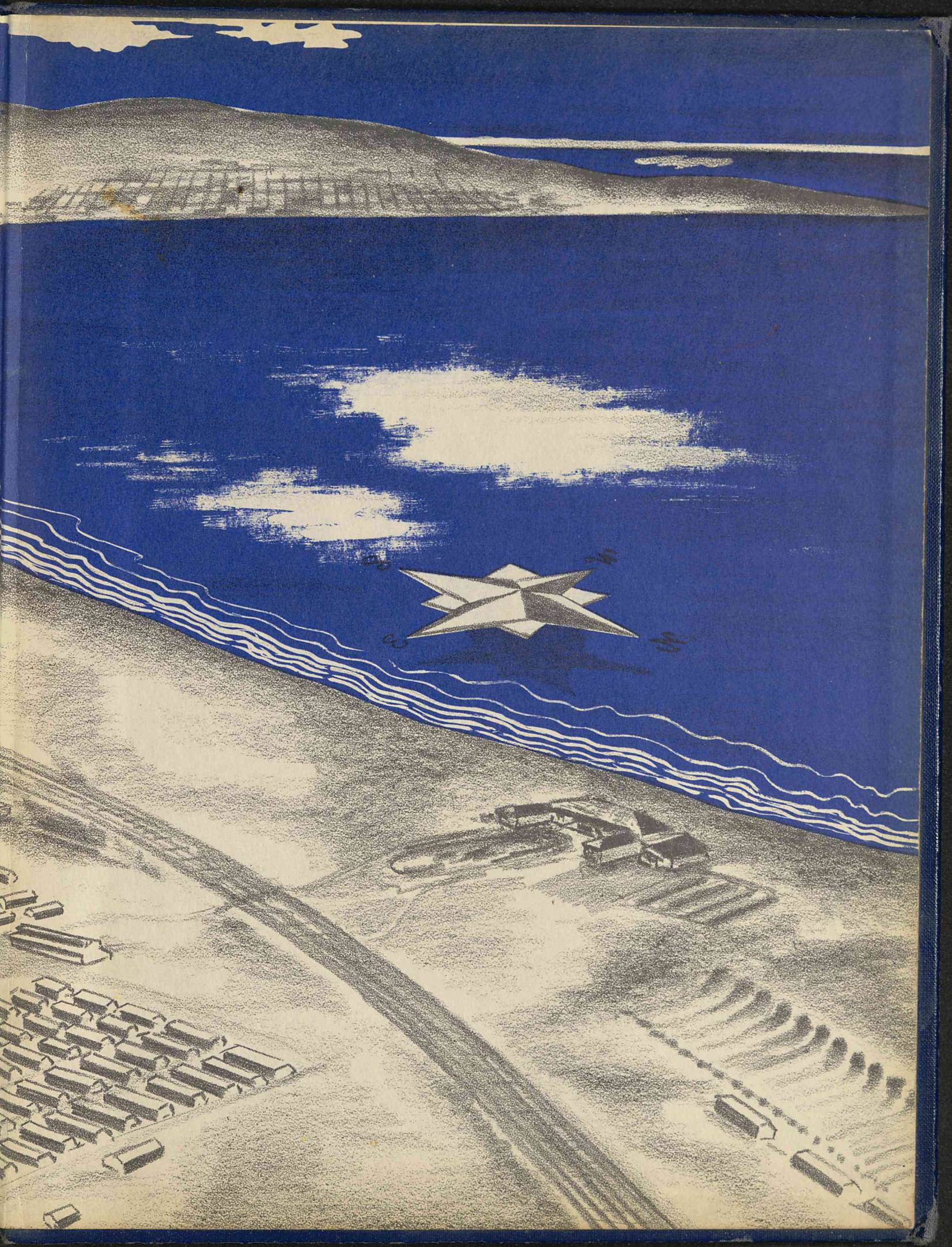
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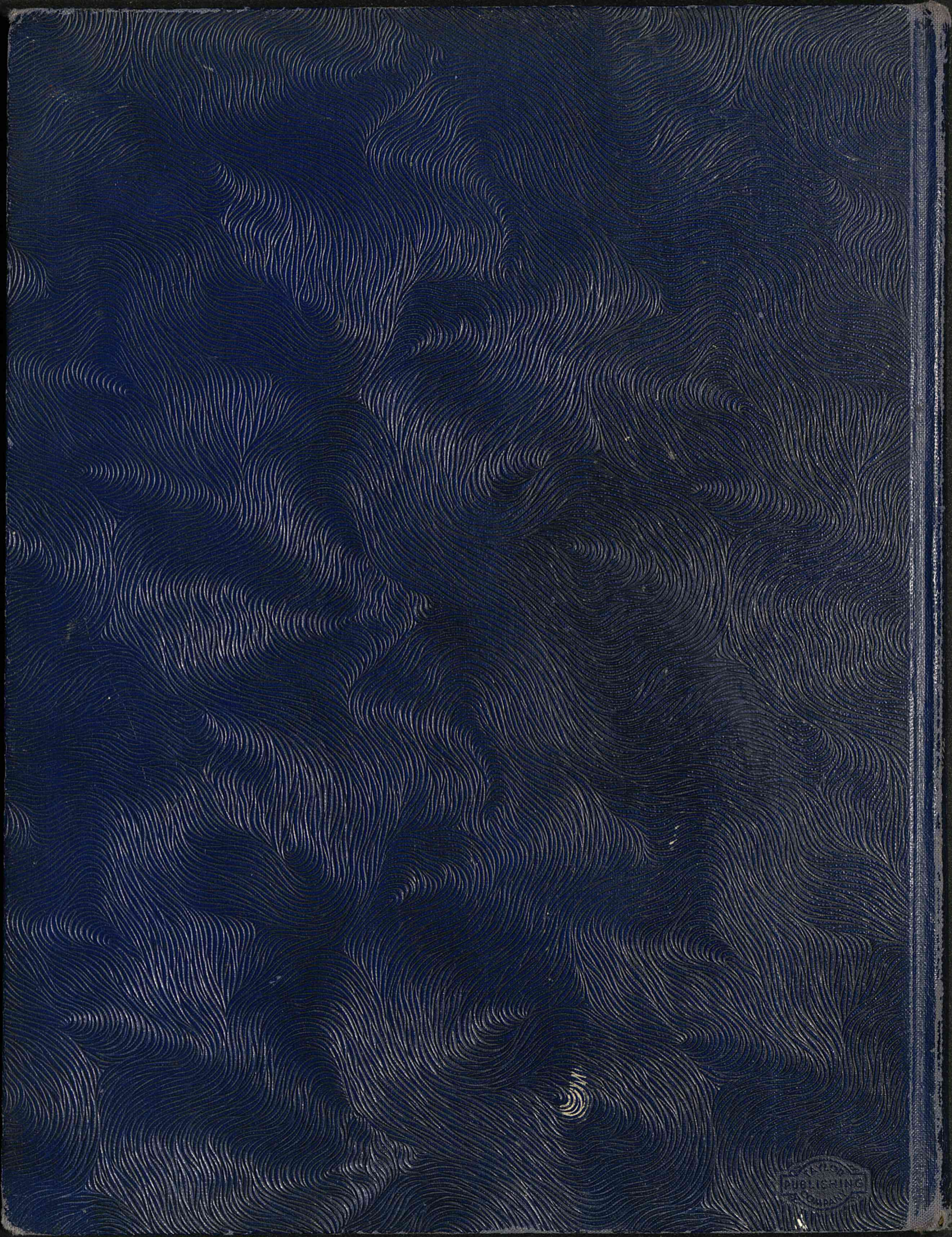
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